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16,000 PEOPLE SEE BALL GAME

RED SOX BRAVE RAMPING TIGERS IN FIRST GAME

BIG CROWD OUT TO SEE MIX-UP ON HUNTINGTON AVENUE GROUNDS.

BATTING ORDER.

DETROIT	BOSTON
McIntyre, l.f.	Sullivan, c.f.
Schaefer, s.s.	Lord, 3b.
Crawford, c.f.	Thoney, 1.f
Cobb, r.f.	Stroder, r.f.
Rossman, 1b.	Mcconnell, 2b.
Coughlin, 3b.	Carrigan, 1b.
Payne, c.	Warner, s.s.
Downs, 2b.	Criger, c.
Donovan, p.	Burchell, p.

Umpires—Hurst and Eagan. Attendance—16,000.

BY DYKE CLARK.

HUNTINGTON AVENUE GROUNDS, Boston, July 11.—With the fierce Tigers romping around the Back Bay park loose, and the Red Sox trying to corral them, the show was too great a card for the Hub fans to miss, and they rolled into the arena in droves ready to feast their eyes on something spectacular in diamond exercises.

Champions that they are and intend to be, the Tigers, riding on the top of the band wagon, came on to the surface with all flags flying and a hoodrah air befitting the elevated position they occupy in the league race, and tried to throw a scare into the ranks of Red Sox before the mixing stage really began.

Didn't Scare Red Sox.

But the Red Sox refused to be scared, and proceeded to get the sheen ready to do a little clipping, as the Tigers had grown a heavy coat of epidermis since they were last here, just because they jumped from the bottom rung of the ladder to the top in that time.

The fans knew that they would see the fur fly, as it's the champion brand on which the Red Sox feed the best, and the bigger the reputation of forces opposed the better they get into the game.

The Tigers soon found out that they were not playing any cellar team on their second stopping place in the Eastern trip, and were facing a crowd which could give them a run for their money.

The side show on the coaching lines with leading comedian Hugh Dunlaps and second string Germany Schaefer going through their Barnum and Bailey antics kept the fans amused, and they were immediately awarded first prize in the show's exhibit.

It was a speedy bunch which spread out on the surface with the heaviest hitting outfield gardeners in the business, McIntyre, Crawford and the only Ty Cobb, while there was nothing slow in that quartet which manned the inner works.

Fans With Cobb.

Cobb, still maintaining his classy station as the king of sluggers, was received tumultuously when he stepped up to the plate to wing the ball.

The prospects of the great Donovan or the star southpaw Eddie Killian holding sway in the turret made the chances look pretty small for the Red Sox unless they unbottled their batting ginger at the start.

Cicotte and Dygert were the pair Mr. Guire had to pick from, and the importance of the fray caused them to bring out all the talent that was in them.

Jake Stahl, late of the New York Americans, who will appear with the Boston Americans on Monday. Stahl is scheduled to play first base for the Red Sox.

HAS STOCK, BUT WHO'S THE OWNER

Billard Uncertain as to Proprietorship of $14,000,000 Worth of B. & M.

To confirm the mysterious sale of their 110,000 shares of Boston & Maine railroad stock, the directors of the New Haven Company meet to-day at New Haven.

The directors got together yesterday in New York, but they did not do anything with reference to the alleged disposal of their Boston & Maine holdings to John L. Billard of Meriden, Ct., so far as information reached the public.

President Mellen issued a statement in which he declared that the $13,000,000 deal had gone through. He said it had been decided it was better to sell the stock than combat the decision of the Massachusetts.

In the meantime, Billard, dragged from obscurity into the limelight, is a little dubious as to whether or not he owns the big block of stock, the gobbling of which caused the government at Washington to sit up and take notice, when it had been properly spurred on by the Independence League of this State.

"Understands" He Owns Stock.

When Billard was asked to tell just how he figured in the reported big deal he made this enigmatical reply:

"I own the stock pertaining. I understand, but there are others interested. The stock is all in my name and I am to vote it."

"Then there are others interested with you in this purchase?"

"Well, I suppose so. The facts have all been given and if there was anything more that I could tell you about it I would be glad to do so."

Mr. Billard omitted he never had any experience whatever in railroad matters and when asked how he came to make such a purchase as this time he replied:

"That is something I cannot discuss said I had no experience in railroad matters, I have been for fifty years right here in Meriden, Ct., and I am president of the Meriden Savings Bank and of the Lyon & Billard Company, which deals in lumber and coal.

"All that I can say in addition to what I have already told you is that the property of the road will be cared for in good shape."

"Work In Harmony."

"We understand in Boston that it is your intention to work in harmony with both the Boston & Maine and the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroads. Is that so?"

"Yes, that is true. I shall try to work in harmony with the interests of both roads and for the interests of the merchants and people of New England."

Mr. Billard's wealth is an unknown quantity. He is friendly with C. P. Brooker of Ansonia, the brass and copper magnate, who is Republican National Committeeman from this State, and a director of the N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad, and it is this association that is supposed to have inspired the deal.

The reported stock sale will not bar the bill which the United States has brought against the New Haven road under the Sherman act is the declaration of U. S. District Attorney Wilson.

"The legal effect of the sale," he continued, "will depend largely upon the facts—whether bona fide or merely colorable.

"The government does not know yet what the consideration for the stock was, not how it was paid. So I cannot say at this time what new steps the government will take."

Will Continue Prosecution.

But even if the sale is valid and bona-fide, it will not bar the Attorney-General's bill, which states that the Sherman act has been violated by the past holdings of stock in the Boston & Maine railroad, and which asks for a permanent restraining order against such holdings in the future.

According to Attorney-General Malone, the Commonwealth will demand proof of the genuineness of the transfer of stock before it will withdraw its suit to compel the giving up of the stock.

POLICE ON TRAIL OF DOCTOR'S POISONER

THREE MEN MAY HAVE FIGURED IN DEATH MYSTERY OF PHYSICIAN.

PHILADEDPHIA, July 11.—The police to-day received the description of a man for whom they are now searching in connection with the mysterious poisoning of Dr. William H. Wilson. Every effort is being made to run this man down.

It is believed that this man, if discovered, can clear the seemingly impenetrable mystery that shrouds this remarkable crime. Two days before the police knew that Dr. Wilson had died from anything else than natural causes, this man for whom they are seeking called at the hospital where the poisoned man had been taken and asked about his condition.

When told that Wilson had died the man turned pale and left hurriedly. Although he had represented that he was the attorney for the physician he has not appeared since. The police have this description of the man wanted:

Five feet eight inches tall.
Weight, 150 pounds.
Regular features and smooth shaven.

THREE MEN IN DEATH BAND.

This description agrees to some extent with that of the man who called at the express office and left the bottle of poisoned pie to be delivered at Dr. Wilson's home.

Chief of Detectives Timothy O'Leary states that the case comprised but three men, the murder of Dr. Wilson was the work of at least three men, and that it was the boldest crime in his experience.

He believes that the Wilson home was watched by one man as the bottle of ale was delivered there, and that this man, when he saw the ambulance carry Dr. Wilson to the hospital followed soon thereafterward, and learning that he was dead, reported to the chief plotter. Another man, he believes, was employed to take the bottle of poisoned ale to the express office.

WIFE'S STORY ON STAND.

This is the story told by the widow on the witness stand:

"On Tuesday, June 23, a package came to our house addressed to Dr. Wilson.

"I took it from a man at the door and signed my name in the paper the messenger gave me. I then took the package and I laid it on a table in the dining room. Then I forgot all about it until that night, Tuesday, June 23. It was the night we went to the country.

"I mentioned it to Dr. Wilson.

"He picked it up, looked at it, and then laid it back on the table again. We came home Friday afternoon, and the package still remained on the table. At that time Dr. Wilson picked it up and put it in the ice chest. A little while later we sat down at the table and then Dr. Wilson picked for the bottle. He knew it contained ale, because he had received a letter a short time before the package came to our house telling him that a brewery was sending him a sample of ale, and if he liked it he was to get more.

"I got up from the table and got the bottle. Dr. Wilson opened it and took a sip in his mouth.

"THAT'S HORRIBLE STUFF."

"He swallowed some of the stuff and quickly spat out what remained in his mouth and said: 'My! that's horrible stuff. Just taste it, but be sure not to let it go down your throat.'

"Then I put my lips to the glass, while Dr. Wilson replaced the stopper in the bottle. The next instant Dr. Wilson cried out:

"'My God! I'm poisoned!' and jumped from his chair. 'Keep that bottle,' he said to me. Then he raised himself from the table.

"A jar half full of milk lay on the table and the doctor grabbed it and tried to drink some of it. He staggered across the room and began to fall. I put my arms around him, but he was so heavy that I could not keep him from falling.

"Do you know whether Dr. Wilson had a quarrel with anyone?"

"Yes, I believe he did have words with someone.

"Do you know the man?"

"No, I do not.

"Now, Mrs. Wilson, are you positive that neither you nor Dr. Wilson had anything to do with the ale before your husband drank it?"

"I am positive that it was not touched. All that he did was to open it and drink some of it."

"Did you taste it yourself?"

"I scarcely touched it."

"Did you get a taste of it?"

"I don't think so. As a matter of fact, I am positive of it. Some got on my lips and I wiped it off with my hand."

NEW HAVEN RAILROAD SPIES ON MORSE LINE

REPRESENTATIVES COUNT PASSENGERS ON STEAMERS YALE AND HARVARD.

The New Haven Railroad Company, feeling keenly the competition of the Harvard and Yale steamers of the Metropolitan Company, have placed spies at the docks of the Boston-New York steamers in both cities, it is declared, to count the passengers of their prospective rival, estimate the freight carried and get other facts that might be of value.

The two vessels which make the outside water trip between the Hub and the metropolis carry from 600 to 800 passengers daily and clear about $7,000 a day on both boats.

This statement was made to-day to a reporter of this newspaper at the dock upon the arrival of the Yale in Boston:

"We are positive that certain men who watch the arrivals and departures of our ships both at Boston and New York are emissaries of the New Haven interests, although we have no absolute proof," said a prominent steamship man.

"The business we have done from the first day the boats were put in commission last Spring has been astonishing," he continued.

"It must make a big difference to the New Haven Railway's steamship lines on Long Island Sound. We are carrying anywhere from 600 to 800 passengers daily, both to and from Boston, and about 400 tons of express freight. The earnings of the Harvard and Yale have been between $7,500 and $10,000 a day since they began to run last May. The operating expenses are about $1,200 per day. I think that the average will be maintained for the season have reached $7,000 for the two ships.

"Of course, the New Haven management feels this, and we are not much surprised to see their spies at our docks.

The receipts for freight are said to pay the running expenses of the ships, leaving the passenger receipts, amounting to about $3,500 daily for each ship, for profits.

At this rate the ships will earn the immense sum of $525,000 each during the five months which they are expected to be in commission, for it is not believed that an attempt will be made to run them on the long outside route during the late Fall and Winter. The experience of the company has been that the passenger trade falls off very considerably as soon as the cold weather begins.

KELLEY SAYS IT'S HIS TURN TO WIN TO-DAY

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	CINCINNATI.
Kelley, l.f.	Huggins, 3b.
Dahlen, s.s.	Kane, c.f.
Beaumont, c.f.	Lobert, 3b.
McGann, 1b.	Peskett, l.f.
Kitchey, 1b.	Gessel, 1b.
Hannifan, 3b.	Schlei, c.
Brown, r.f.	Mitchell, r.f.
Smith, c.	Hulswitt, s.s.
Lindaman, p.	Spade, p.

NATIONAL LEAGUE BASEBALL GROUNDS, Cincinnati, July 11.—Joe Kelley's Doves, figuring that they were outclicked in the first game of the series with the Reds, came out to-day to redeem themselves. Wild Ewing, the Reds' best cwirler, out of the way, the visitors doped out a comparatively easy time for the remainder of their stay in Porktown.

Kelley, who is a big favorite in Cincinnati, where he played for several years, was warmly greeted by the fans when he led his team on the field this afternoon. He came over and shook hands with the reporters and remarked that his bunch were out for blood. The reporters gave him the Ha Ha and told him he didn't have a chance.

After this little pleasantry the veteran went out on the diamond and put his men through a stinger practice.

There was a good sized crowd out to see the fun this afternoon, the opening game of yesterday acting as a toole on the fans.

A well-known Cambridge citizen fell into disgrace here this morning when the management notified one John, alias Larry, McLean that there would be no salary coming to him for the next ten days, uless he let the ardent spirits which he imbibed himself with a season's stock of sock cloth and orders, be used liberally when the golden salary current again was turned in his direction.

McLean has the happy but unfortunate disposition to make so many friends that one round puts him into bastland. He has behaved outrageously during Spring practice and came near being bunkoed there. Lately he has been getting one foot off the water wagon on occasions. During the past several days, however, he hasn't even seen the main cart, hence the punishment. During his enforced idleness Schlei and Pierce will take care of the Reds' pitchers.

Pitcher Jake Weimer, who has been sold to New York, says he will not join the Giants unless he gets part of the purchase money. If that's the case he'll be out of a job the rest of the season.

ONE WORD IN GOLD HUNT IS RICH CLEW

By "The Money Man."

In the chapter of "Hidden—Not Lost," published in the SUNDAY AMERICAN to-morrow there will be ONE WORD that may mean much bright, shining gold to the searchers for hidden treasure. The word will give you all the hint necessary for a successful pursuit of the wealth.

Get the SUNDAY AMERICAN. Read the instalment of the story. Then search for the money.

You may get from $5 to $1,000 in gold. The key to the safe deposit box containing $1,000 in gold has not been found.

You may get a $750 or $600 building lot.

Some keen-eyed, clever-witted woman, reading this instalment of the mystery story, may win the magnificent $850 Henry F. Miller player piano. This goes to the woman who first clears the mystery of the identity of Mme. Alvarez and suggests the best ending to the story. There is no time to lose!

The mystery story is on page 3.

UNCLE SAM'S BOYS LEADING FOREIGN TEAMS

DISLEY, July 11.—It is now generally thought that the American team are certain winners of the international team match being decided here, the principal event in the elite competitions held in connection with the Olympic games.

That the Americans would gain on the long ranges was signaled by the results of the shooting at 800 yards this forenoon, when they increased their lead by 13 points. That this idea has a good foundation was attested by the shooting of the contestants at 800 yards this forenoon, when the Americans increased their lead by thirteen points, scoring 498, thus bringing their aggregate total to 1,727, the English team maintaining second place by scoring 433, making an aggregate of 1,714. Canada, the third team on the list, made 484, but the team lost so many points yesterday that their total for the four distances is only 1,678.

The American team increased its lead still further at the 900-yard range, scoring 466 for this distance, while England made but 299 and Canada 385. The aggregates now are America 2,182, England 2,313, and Canada 2,072.

'ALL BIG GUN' BATTLESHIP IS LAUNCHED

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—The United States battleship South Carolina was launched here this afternoon in Cramp's shipyard. Many officials of the State of South Carolina took part in the ceremonies. The South Carolina is one of the "all big gun" ships, the other being the Michigan, which was recently launched at the New York shipbuilding yard at Camden, N. J.

The new vessel was christened by Miss Jessica Calvert Ansel, daughter of Governor Ansel of South Carolina. Governor Ansel was accompanied by his staff.

Some of the features of the big ship are: Length between perpendiculars 450 feet; breadth, 80 feet; draught, 24 feet, six inches; displacement, 16,000 tons; engines, 17,000 horsepower; high speed, 18½ knots; bunker capacity, 2,100 tons; main battery, eight twelve-inch breech-loading rifles, mounted in four turrets.

BEGIN THIS GREAT STORY IN TO-MORROW'S SUNDAY AMERICAN

"THE WOLF"

BEGIN THIS GREAT STORY IN TO-MORROW'S SUNDAY AMERICAN

EASTERN MEN REVOLT: LEADERS BOLT BRYAN

DEMOCRATS BREAK AWAY FROM MAN WHO HAS TWICE LED PARTY TO DEFEAT.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Dissatisfaction with William Jennings Bryan as standard bearer, with the Bryanized platform as a declaration of principles and with the Bryanized running mate on the national ticket, John W. Kern of Indiana, was voiced by many Democrats in the East to-day. Already the dislike for the candidate, who twice led the party to defeat, has reached the proportion of a revolt.

There has been no effort on the part of New Yorkers to conceal their chagrin, although most of them have endeavored to make the best of the situation.

The sentiments of the disgruntled politicians who believe that the nomination of Bryan means certain defeat, was expressed by Eugene E. Leake, Democratic Representative from the Nineteenth New Jersey Congressional District. He openly bolted the Nebraskan, renouncing the ticket and the politics advocated by him, and declared that he will vote for William H. Taft for President, using his influence with his friends. He has written to Taft, tendering his services to the Republican National Committee to do anything in his power to encompass the defeat of the Nebraskan.

La Gage Pratt, who represents the Eighth District, is another Democrat who will not support Bryan. Mr. Pratt is now in Panama. This is his first term in Congress. He announced recently that he would not seek a renomination, as he did not care to run on the same ticket with Bryan. The Eighth District comprises one-half of Essex County.

Newport Mayor Bolts Ticket.

Mayor William P. Clarke of Newport, one of the most noted and influential delegates from Rhode Island, also declared that he could not conscientiously and would not support Bryan for President. He said nobody else mentioned in the preliminary fight would have had his unqualified support.

It is said to be the actual opinion of Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, that it is not possible for the Bryan ticket to win. This is declared to be the reason that he would not permit the New York delegation to present a Vice-Presidential candidate, although he had been assured that his choice would be nominated.

He did not wish to engage in a losing fight and he would not let Lewis Nixon enter in the contest. Murphy is said to have other honors in store for Nixon and he does not want him to go before the voters of his own section as a defeated candidate.

Spreads to Labor Leaders.

The revolt has even spread to some of the most prominent labor leaders whose favor the Democrats thought to win by the radical anti-injunction plank. Many of them said to-day that it was meaningless and that it did not in any measure overcome their objections to the ticket. The letter Mr. Leake sent to Mr. Taft is as follows:

I cannot subscribe either to the candidate or to the platform of the Denver convention.

The conservative citizens of the country who are neither reactionary nor the representatives of predatory wealth or special interests, but who desire the right to enjoy life, liberty and equal handed justice, must look to you to provide protection against the wave of radicalism and class prejudice which will follow the Denver convention.

You will have my vote on election day, and if, during the campaign, my services will be of any value to your National Committee, I will cheerfully tender them.

What Leake Thinks of It.

Later Mr. Leake gave out the following statement:

"Fortunately parties cannot always choose the issues of political campaigns; neither candidate nor platform can make the paramount issue of the approaching Presidential election other than Bryanism. Since the civil war no graver peril has confronted the country than the danger of a Bryan dollar, with means repudiation, and prostitution of the Democratic party to a few labor interests, which means riot.

"If the candidate and the platform are the standards of Democracy, I am no longer a Democrat, and will support the new labor organization masquerading under the garb of the Democratic party, whose success can only be based upon class hatred, prejudices and demagogy.

"It behooves the laboring man, who does not wish to bring about a condition in which he will be unable to manufacture, who seeks work instead of the promises of politicians; the business man, the merchant and the investor, and those who cherish the maintenance of American ideals, to support the Republican ticket irrespective of their previous party affiliations. Mr. William H. Taft."

WANTED ANOTHER CANDIDATE.

Mayor Clarke of Newport will not cast his vote for President next year, as he would if the Democrat nominee was other than Bryan.

He says the domineering methods of the Nebraskan are distasteful to him. He thinks it about time the Democratic party was in a position to select another candidate, which it has not been able to do in the last twelve years.

"I think it is about time the Democratic party began anew and changed its methods regarding Bryan, which I shall not vote for.

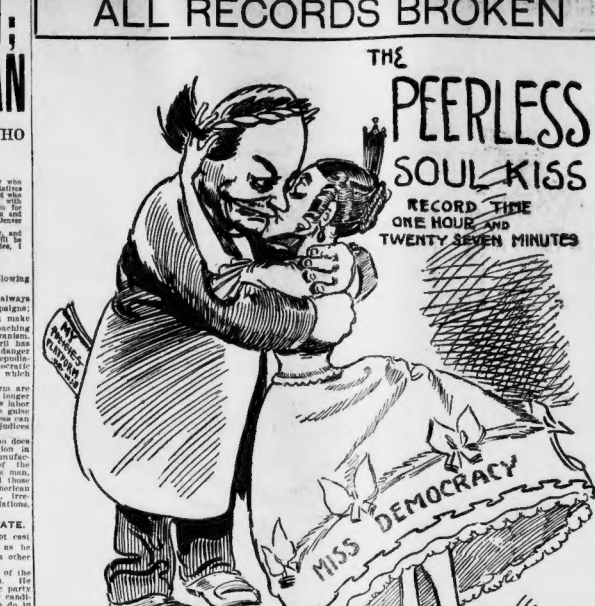
"That's my stand and my position and it is unalterable.

"I have nothing further to say than what I have stated, than to express myself against the party's candidate, who continues to be placed in nomination and the party suffers for it.

"It's about time some other candidate was named."

Mayor Clarke is a leader in the Democratic party of the State and city, carries a large and solid following in and out of his party and is considered as a vote getter. He is called the Newsboy Mayor. From the fact that he sold newspapers all his life.

ALL RECORDS BROKEN



GAMBLING RESORT BOSS TAGGART PRODUCED KERN

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 11.—Twice defeated for Governor of his own State (Indiana), an opponent of the free silver doctrine before the nomination of Bryan in 1896, an outspoken admirer of President Roosevelt and his policies, political concrete of "Tom" Taggart, these are some of the main points in the record of John Worth Kern, nominated at Denver as Bryan's running mate.

Boss Tom Taggart of French Lick Springs gave the Democratic party its candidate for the Vice Presidency—his personal friend and personal attorney, John W. Kern. Kern says that in securing the nomination for Taggart, Taggart admits that last night's conference was a put-up job, sent to circulate the impression that the nomination was a deep surprise to Kern. The deal was made when Taggart needed Kern's support to prevent him from being Committeeman from Indiana last Tuesday.

Mr. Kern is a lawyer, fifty-eight years old. He was graduated from the law department of the University of Michigan in 1869, and a year later, when twenty-one years old, he was "drafted" into the race for the Legislature in Howard County. He was defeated, but was later chosen city attorney for Kokomo, for six terms, over Republican opponents.

In 1884 he was elected reporter of the State Supreme Court, and in 1892 was sent to the State Senate for four years. In 1907 he became attorney of Indianapolis, and held the position during the last two administrations of Mayor "Tom" Taggart.

Twice Beaten for Governor.

In 1900 he was nominated by the Democratic party for Governor and was defeated, receiving 306,368 votes to 331,531 for his Republican opponent. Four years later he was again nominated and again defeated, this time by a larger plurality, 339,382 to 274,096.

In 1896, before the convention which nominated Bryan for the first time, Kern was an outspoken "gold Democrat," and opposed the silver doctrine as the "free silver craze." After Bryan's nomination he changed his views and supported the ticket and platform, receiving the many votes of the gold Democrats when he ran for Governor in 1900.

Favored Parker and Roosevelt.

In 1904 he received a large complimentary vote for United States Senator, and at the Democratic National Convention the same year paid a glowing tribute to Judge Alton B. Parker in seconding his nomination for the Presidency.

A year later he attracted considerable notice by his expressed admiration for President Roosevelt and his policies in a speech before the Commercial Club of Indianapolis, October 12, 1905, he said:

"I have watched the course of President Roosevelt ever since his entrance into office for some sign of narrowness or partisan tactics, and I have not found it. And I want to say for Mr. Roosevelt that not since the days of George Washington has any President come so near to having the unanimous support of the people of the United States as Theodore Roosevelt."

"Tom" Taggart, who brought forward Mr. Kern, is chairman of the Democratic National Committee and proprietor of the famous gambling resort at French Lick Springs, Ind.

HOW "PAINT BRUSH JOHN" GAME INTO HIS OWN.

Being a story of certain happenings near Pike's Peak, Colorado, and Lincoln, Nebraska, whereby was attached a tail to the kite with a tuft to the tail.

By SAMUEL G. BLYTHE.

DENVER July 11.—At last—a great political party has recognized a great American institution. The indigenous Indiana whisker has come into its own. The paint brush chinerinoes have been exalted to the place they long ago should have occupied.

John W. Kern has been nominated for Vice-President, nominated to provide the hirsute end of the ticket, the peerless leader of Lincoln being shaven and somewhat bald.

Thus we get them coming and going.

Time was when John K. Gowdy had the finest pair of paint brush whiskers in Indiana, but that time has gone. Once, in a misguided moment, when he was Consul General to paris, John K. succumbed to the palavering of a Parisian barber and cut his off. That left Crown Kern with the best there were between Boonville and South Bend, and John W. Kern, not unmindful of what the future had in store for him, carefully nurtured his, trained them on pergolas and palings, until to-day they flaunt proudly in the face of the enemy, caressed by every favoring breeze that blows, and militant to the end of each individual hair.

There's Undying Fame In Paint Brush Whiskers.

All men who achieve paint brush whiskers must eventually achieve undying fame. John Kern put years of loving care on his, petted and pampered them, until to-day they are a work of art. What the Democratic party needed was a gonfalon, and John Kern's whiskers have been pressed into service. "Bald Bill" of Lincoln would do to catch the harbor vote, but those millions of Americans who are guilty of contributory facial negligence and grow whiskers of various kinds destined a leader who had good ones, and they have him.

Taft with his moustache and Jim Sherman with his—no one knows what he shaves to show beneath his ears are mere amateurs.

John Kern. "Paint Brush John," hide bound for the votes of the hair-on-the-face brigade, and he offers as his platform those lovely things that hang, chinchilla like, from his comely and convulsive chin.

It was a titanic struggle. One hundred and fourteen candidates for Vice-President sent their names in, and not a soul listened to any of them almost to the very end. Then "The Peerless" leader, having read in the paper that there was some slight slant by Wednesday night's convention in his favor, took the telephone in his brawny hand and called up Denver.

Whom of the Whoms?

Why, Kern; Sure!

"Whom have we?" he inquired, in clarion tones.

"We have several," came the reply, "than whom there are none than whomer."

"Whom are those of whom you thus than whom me?" was the piercing question.

They told him. There were Gaynor and Mitchell and McNeil and Douglas and Towne and some ninety-six others, all good men and true, but what was the pleasure of "The Peerless" leader?

A pause. Presently came thinking from Lincoln in the silvriest accents of that well-known silver voice:

"I have faith in the ultimate destiny of John Kern's whiskers. Name him. He shall be my running mate."

"Or walking, as the case may be," said the man at the Denver end of the telephone, "but Kern it is."

The word was passed. The Amalgamated Association of Vice-Presidential Candidates held its meeting, hurriedly called in the hotel. The sickening news was announced. Kern? The advantage given to Kern in the rules of the organization, where-

"Paint Brush John."

by Kern was allowed the special privilege of getting what he could out of his whiskers—he having been that kind first—was resisted to the last. The Amalgamated Protective Association had beaten itself. Since Crown Kern's whiskers had first flashed across the visions of the delegates in Denver it has been a foregone conclusion. He had a handicap.

That was all there was to it.

Various candidates, thinking to get a little more advantageous advertising, had themselves in nomination, and then unplaced themselves, thus getting into the newspapers twice on the last, fatal occasion.

There Must Always Be a Tuft to the Tail.

They took Kern. He was nominated with a yell. The paint brush whiskers had triumphed and every campaign banner shall be there, all their glory throughout the broad land of ours, for if a ticket needs a tail ,the tail should have a tuft.

There was nothing further for Mr. Bryan to decide, and he allowed the convention to adjourn, not, however, until some languages implied in the long session Thursday night had been properly spilled. True to its traditions, the grand old Democracy allowed no one to go home with any speech in his system that he desired to get out. Again they barbecued the English language, made burgers of it, and served it out in steaming portions.

Not for many years has so much debris been projected into the atmosphere as has been strown out from the rarified air of Denver since Tuesday last. We have spoken, gentlemen, spoken all the speech there is.

And in the convention which was ever before it began is over after it is finished. Colonel William Jennings Bryan has been in control of everything, from the color of the badges to the indorsement of the Kern whiskers. He has bossed the whole show. His platform proves to possess any person who does not find in it what he wants will have to apply to Lincoln and secure an amendment.

The democratic way of dealing in everything in the way of principles for everybody. The candidate is satisfied with himself and satisfied with everything else, as he should be, inasmuch as he dictated everything. All trains are filled with delegates hurrying home and wondering why they came. A great bush has fallen on convention hall. There will be no more speeches.

Think that over. There will be no more speeches. That's a good deal, isn't it—more than those who were not here can ever know.

Principal Events in J. W. Kern's Career

1849—Born at Alto, Howard County, Indiana.
1864—Family removed to Warren County, Ohio.
1864—Family returned to Alto, Indiana.
1869—Entered the University of Michigan.
1868—Graduated from law school; began practice at Kokomo, Indiana.
1870—Defeated for the Legislature.
1872—Chosen city attorney of Kokomo.
1884—Elected reporter of State Supreme Court; removed to Indianapolis.
1888—Defeated for reporter's office.
1890—Elected State Senator.
1894—Re-elected to State Senate.
1897—Elected city attorney of Indianapolis.
1898—Re-elected as city attorney.
1900—Defeated for Governor of Indiana.
1904—Again defeated for Governorship.
1908—Democratic candidate for Senate.
1908—Democratic vice-presidential nominee.

TRAIN HITS AUTO WOMAN KILLED

NEW YORK, July 11.—Emerging from a sunken roadway, where the sound of an approaching train could not be heard, a big red automobile, owned by R. Hutchings of Brooklyn, his wife and daughter, and a chauffeur, was run down by a fast Long Island express. The machine was thrown from the machine for over 100 feet to the fields that adjoin the railroad.

Mrs. Hutchings was dead when found and the physicians state that her husband will die of his injuries. Lillian Hutchings, the daughter, was seriously injured, while Frederick Clough, the chauffeur, was unhurt. The machine was running at high speed through the cut, which almost parallels the railroad.

EARTHQUAKE IN EUROPE.

STUTTGART, Ger., July 11.—The observatory here reports a strong earthquake shock.

Sea and Car Sickness Quickly Cured

By Mothersill's Seasick Remedy, The Only One For Sale and Recommended On All Steamships.

Do not hesitate buying ticket for Ocean, Lake or through Mountains, from fear of sea or car sickness, for Mothersill's Seasick Remedy will guarantee you all the pleasures of travel.

Mothersill's Seasick Remedy is guaranteed not to contain cocaine, morphine, opium or other injurious drugs. It is the only remedy for seasickness or carsickness which has been universally recommended by all first-class steamships.

Guaranteed to produce neither permanent or injurious effects on the weakest system.

Guaranteed satisfactory or money returned.

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Can be recommended by Boston by Jarvis Drug Co., 850 Washington St.; Hayward, 508 Washington St.; Sanford, 677 Washington St.; Otis Merriam; 1243 Tremont St.; Thompson-Smith, and 128 Summer St.; Theodore Metcalf Co., 39 Tremont St., 532 Boylston St., Copley Sq.

PLAN BIG NOISE FOR TAFT DAY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CINCINNATI, July 11.—The city will do its best to burst with hilarity on notification day, which has been set for July 25.

The programme as provided for by a local committee will consist of cannons, band concerts, receptions, automobile and marching parades, fireworks and steam whistles. A whole day from 7 o'clock in the morning, will be given over to the festivities, and most of the local business houses will close for the day.

The notification speech will be made from a platform on the lawn of Charles P. Taft's residence by Chairman Warner at noon, and Mr. Taft, in response, will deliver the address which he has been engaged in preparing for several days past.

TO SPEND 16,600 YEN ON AMERICAN FLEET

TOKIO, July 11.—The Yokohoma municipality has voted 16,600 yen to cover the expense of the entertainment to be given to the officers and men of the American fleet while they are in that city. A reception committee of fifty, of which the mayor of the city, has been organized.

PASTOR REFUSES TO ACCEPT PURSE

CHICOPEE, July 11.—A purse of $1,500 in gold was presented to the Rev. Frederick Bonneville, pas tor of the Church of the Assumption, on his return from Europe.

"I cannot accept it," said Fr. Bonneville, as he averted his face to conceal his emotion. "With hundreds of my people out of work the sacrifice is too great. I want only your good will, not your money. God bless you all."

INSURANCE MEN ELECT.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 11.—At the closing session of the International Association of Accident Insurance underwriters, H. G. H. Alexander of Chicago was elected president.

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Tickets of general admission and to the leading special attractions of the big Amusement Parks of New England. These tickets total $1.90 in value and are all given FREE with Boston's best and most metropolitan Sunday newspaper which costs only 5 cents.

The first chapters of the most powerful dramatic and enthralling serial story of the year, "THE WOLF," from the great play of the primitive Canadian wilderness by Eugene Walters.

For Greater Boston readers there will be another beautiful picture in brilliant colors in Nell Brinkley's fascinating series of the "Summer Girls." These charming art features are on heavy paper, ready for framing. They are given away exclusively with the Sunday American.

Margaret Beecher Ward, granddaughter of Henry Ward Beecher, has written for the SUNDAY AMERICAN an interesting article on Christian Science and Hydrophobia.

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HACKETT TO FIGHT WIFE FOR CHILD

May Sacrifice Himself to Protect 'Other Woman's' Name From Publicity.

NEW YORK, July 11.—James K. Hackett, the matinee idol, is racing back to New York from Europe to make a determined fight against his wife's divorce suit, and if possible, to retain the custody of their baby. He will, at the same time, protect the name of the woman mentioned as co-respondent.

He will reach the harbor to-day, and as soon as he arrives an effort will be made to serve him with the complaint in the suit. His wife, Mary Mannering, must file her complaint to-day and unless Mr. Hackett can prevent it, the "other woman's" name may thus become public.

Whether or not he will be willing to get the child at the cost of revealing the name of the woman mentioned as co-respondent will be seen from the action of the next few days. He is at present throwing a great mystery about his movements, and only his closest friends know when to expect him, as it has purposely been announced that he is to arrive on two different steamers.

The matinee idol, unless he surrenders the child, will contain the name of the mysterious co-respondent, whose identity has been successfully concealed by all parties concerned in the suit thus far.

Miss Mannering is very anxious to retain possession of their only child, however, and it is said that if Mr. Hackett will relinquish his claim to the baby the name of the co-respondent will never become known.

ORANGEMEN ON OUTING

Five thousand Orangemen, members of twenty-five lodges of the Loyal Orange Institution in all parts of the State, with their wives, children and friends, are today attending the annual field day and picnic of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts at New Norumbega Landing, Quincy.

Dressed in the bright colored regalia of the various lodges, the Orangemen, with fire bands and three drum corps, formed line of march at Copley square today at 9:30 and proceeded to the Dorchester station over the following route: Copley square to Boylston, Berkeley to Tremont, to Winter to Summer, to the Summer street entrance of the South Station. The parade was headed by the officers of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, mounted and the invited guests and speakers in carriages.

Special trains were handled for Quincy, and when that city had been reached, line was again formed and the Orangemen marched directly to the grove at New Dorset Landing. The committee in charge of the day's outing comprises William Dawson, Albert J. Hall, Thomas Milligan, William Corbett, John Hamilton, Andrew Stewart and Charles McKee.

ARRESTED FOR HORSE THEFTS

MILLIS, July 11.—The police of Millis to-day turned over to the State police Albert Holliday, who was arrested on the charge of stealing by Officer William H. Thorne of Millis yesterday. Warrants are out for Holliday in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and New Hampshire, the charges of horse theft being made in each case.

Yesterday Holliday drove here in a rig alleged to have been stolen in Rhode Island and started to sell it to George Stedman. Stedman declares he bought a horse from this man last Spring, which was afterwards found to have been stolen from South Boston.

SOLITUDE DROVE HIM TO SUICIDE

NEW HAVEN, July 11.—A cablegram received here brings word of the suicide in the Philippine Islands of Captain James Wallace Bratch, U. S. M. C., and a Yale graduate, class of '01.

No particulars have been received, but acquaintances here say that Captain Bratch had brooded over differences with brother officers growing out of his efforts at the end to bring it West Point, and the solitude and monotony of service in the Philippines also affected him.

In 1898 he organized the Yale Battery, but as it did not see duty Bratch entered the marine service, and was in Cuba, where he received a captaincy, and since then had been in Guam and Philippines.

MISS ELISE SNOW BURIED AT NEWTON

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon for Miss Elise Snow, the Newton society girl who was killed two days ago by falling from her horse. The services were held at the home of Miss Snow's aunt, Mrs. W. Russell Brackett, at 61 St. Bellevue street, Newton. John F. Willey of the First Church of Christ (Christian Science), Boston, officiated. Musical selections were rendered by Miss Josephine Knight of Boston. Interment was in Newton Cemetery.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

All parties having in their possession merchandise from the piers in East Boston destroyed by fire of July 8th, 1908, are hereby notified to advise the UNDERWRITERS' SALVAGE COMPANY, 71 KILBY STREET, BOSTON, Mass., giving quantity and description of same. Any person disposing of such merchandise without obtaining title to same from the Insurance Companies interested will be held liable.

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TRUSTS TO OPEN SHOPS, NOT PURSES, FOR TAFT

WORK FOR UNEMPLOYED IS COUNTED UPON TO MAKE REPUBLICAN VOTES.

NEW YORK, July 11.—As part of the Republican campaign there has been planned by the great corporations the most stupendous labor movement ever known in America.

The corporations are to contribute day employment, instead of dollars. They are to contribute to prosperity instead of the campaign fund.

Ever since the nomination of Taft there have been conferences between campaign managers and the leading politicians. Owing to the recently enacted laws in New York and other cities against the secret campaign contributions and the public sentiment against corporation gifts to political committees, the managers of Taft have been much embarrassed.

It has been decided that it will be impossible to secure in cash, or to use if secured, such a huge campaign fund as was consumed for McKinley. At least $7,000,000 was used in the first McKinley campaign.

Fund in Shape of Work.

Not more than $3,000,000 can be accounted for publicly this year without embarrassment, according to George W. Sheldon, the treasurer of the Republican National Committee.

The idea of making campaign contributions in the shape of work for men rendered idle by the recent business depression came to the Republican managers as an inspiration.

It is being hailed with enthusiasm by Taft and his managers. It will meet every requirement of the laws and make it possible for the managers of Taft's campaign to make public every expense voucher, because all they will do will be in the line of outlining appeals to the voters, paying for speechmakers, hiring halls, music and such matters.

It is estimated that in all perhaps 3,000,000 men will benefit by the re-employment movement to be inaugurated.

The mills are to open, railroad improvements planned in the dozen times are to be pushed, and all lines of manufacturing are to be made active.

A Few Words to Win Votes.

The workmen are to be told when they are put to work that the election of Taft looks like a certainty, and that the employer feels he can make the investment which the situation warrants.

It will be intimated that if by and nincehance Taft should fail of election the old condition of depression would unquestionably return and indeed be worse.

Under this plan the manager of a great railroad who raised $240,000 per year will pay no more this year, but will use ten times that amount in paying wages of additional men on his railroad system.

BOYS BROKE INTO SCHOOL, SAYS COURT

Youngsters Sentenced for Wrecking Desks and Books at South Boston.

Charged with breaking into the Hawes Public School, Broadway, near Dorchester street, South Boston, demolishing desks, chairs and other furniture, scaring up school books wholesale and wasting pencils, crayon and paper, Charles Sweeney and Alfred O'Connell, thirteen years of age, were to-day found guilty in the South Boston Juvenile Court by Judge Joseph H. Fallon.

Young Sweeney, who lives at No. 272 Third street, and O'Connell, of No. 714 East Fifth street, pleaded not guilty to the charge preferred against them by Special Officer Hughes, who, with Patrolman Gammon, had worked on the case.

Judge Fallon sentenced the lads to the State School for Boys on Rainsford Island. They appealed, and were held in $300 each.

The policemen declared that on July 1 the two boys, and maybe others, broke into the Hawes School by forcing a window on the first floor. When the schoolhouse was looked over by the janitor and the policemen it looked as though an internal cyclone, one with fists and fingers, had whirled through it.

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BOY KILLED BY ICE WAGON

Bygag Bayajin, a three-year-old Armenian boy living at No. 81 Sixth street, Chelsea, was instantly killed about noon to-day by being run over by an ice wagon belonging to the Independent Ice Company.

Ernest McKean, the driver of the wagon, was later arrested and locked up charged with manslaughter. Arrangements are being made to bail him out.

Bygag and a number of other boys were playing in the street, in chasing a companion he ran directly in front of the wagon and before McPadzon could stop the horses, the front wheel passed over his body.

WANTS SHARE IN PIANO PROFITS

Ephraim B. Wood of Boston has brought suit against Charles S. Norris and Julia M. Champlin of Brookline for an accounting of the profits of the piano company from 1901 to 1908. In his complaint Wood states that in 1901 he entered the employ of Norris and Mrs. Champlin's husband as salesman at a salary of $8,000 a year.

It was stipulated in the contract, he says, that all the profits of the concern in excess of $28,000 per annum were to be paid to him, but were to be held in trust for five years. In 1903 Wood gave up his position and he charges that the company refused to make an accounting with him. Mr. Champlin is dead, so he includes Mrs. Champlin a defendant to the action.

FISH SEES NO HOPE FOR WAVE OF PROSPERITY

"Hard Times Will Continue" Is Doleful Prediction of Railroad Man Off for Europe.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Stuyvesant Fish, accompanied by Mrs. Fish, before sailing to-day on the American liner New York for Europe, where they will spend three months touring the continent, gave out an interview, in which he said that the conditions existing in this country as a result of the panic of last October would not change for some time to come, and that, although better times would probably follow the presidential election, he could see no hope for any improvement over the conditions of the present.

"There is absolutely no indication of a business revival in any part of this country," said Mr. Fish. "This is shown only too plainly by the fact that the wealthy people are not paying cash for household expenditures, but instead are running up large bills with the merchants and simply awaiting better times when they will have cash enough.

"They simply have no money on hand at present, and many of them are doubtful as to when they will have any. I know many wealthy people who have cut their expenses down to the limit. A man who previously lived at the rate of $250,000 a year is now living at less than one-quarter of that amount.

"I expect that there will be an enormous crop this Fall and the railroads will know large gross receipts, but the net profits will be very small, because of the high wages now being paid for the purpose of transporting of these crops. The farmers are the ones that will profit by the situation."

88 TRUE BILLS BY GRAND JURY

The Grand Jury for the Suffolk County Superior Criminal Court reported the result of their findings to-day to Judge Richardson. The list is the longest ever returned in the history of the court. In all eighty-eight true bills were returned and sixty-six "no bills."

The steel cases are continued until next month. Among the bills reported was one against Rocco Pagnatte, charging him with murder in the second degree. It is alleged that he killed Machinzo Mondello during a row.

Gaetano Natali was indicted on the charge of assault with intent to murder. Natali is the man who shot at three young men in East Boston about three weeks ago, wounding each of them. All the other cases are of the ordinary kind that regularly come before the Grand Jury.

I. O. O. F. M. U. INSTALLATION

Last night the following officers of the I. O. O. F. M. U. were installed at Odd Fellows Hall, Berkeley st., by P. G. M. Charles W. Bird and suite:

N. G., C. T. Robinson; R. S., J. Cantanche; I. S., H. Bloodworth; V. G., E. Malinow; R. S. S. Whittier; L. S., A. Grundy; G. M., J. Grocott; P. S., H. Pearson; Trustee, A. Ross; E. S., E. A. Holmes; Conductor, W. Ritchie; Warden, G. W. Rockett; I. G., C. Carter; O. G., O. W. Morrison.

BISHOP POTTER GAINS A LITTLE

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., July 11.—There was little change in the condition of Bishop Henry C. Potter early this morning. He recovered slightly from the weakness that caused alarm yesterday and spent a comfortable day, but the improvement was not so great as to allay the fears of his family and physicians.

REBELS EXECUTED.

DEL RIO, Tex., July 11.—It is reported here that Mexican troops captured and immediately executed four revolutionists near Las Vacas.

"HIDDEN—NOT LOST"

$5,000.00 in Buried Treasure

$1,000 in Gold for the Most Skilful American Reader.

Clews to Its Whereabouts and Clews to Other Hidden Gold and Treasure Revealed in This Story.

By "The Money Man."

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

WALTER SINCLAIR, a young business man from Cleveland, meets a woman of regal beauty in Boston. She gives her name as Madame Alvarez. She is mysterious and is pursued by enemies. She induces Sinclair to promise to aid her. He gets a chauffeur named Dalton and a red automobile to help him.

The woman is pursued by two men and a woman, who call on Dr. Mallon, physician of a mysterious band, and his assistants, Dr. Bernot and Rose Marston. Madame Alvarez is thought to have valuable jewels valued at $150,000 from a Spanish family. Madame Alvarez has entered in Boston a small but valuable jewelled box, after which she intrusted to Sinclair a package which he is to deliver to her secretary. He has this package and went to the home of Dr. Mallon in disguise. The doctor had told him that he could tell him something about the missing package.

Dr. Mallon impressed on Sinclair the story that the police were after Madame Alvarez, and that it were best that the hiding place of the package be disclosed, and that her whereabouts be made known before she and himself were arrested.

Marion Marston, Sinclair's fiancee, frightened by Sinclair's long absence, went to the home of Dr. Mallon. She was unable to tell her the whole truth about Sinclair's connection with the mysterious woman, and a young physician, who had threatened, just as the ragged man who had recently come from Madame Alvarez approached with a message from her.

Madame Alvarez authorized Sinclair to open the package in his possession, follow the instructions therein contained, and secure the jewels that she had hidden. He opened the package and found that it contained blank paper. The package had been in the hands of Dr. Mallon. Sinclair suspected Dr. Mallon, his assistant, and he told him about the enemies of Madame Alvarez had stolen something at the door of an elm on one side of a square.

CHAPTER XXI.

WITH the name of the square supplied by Dalton, it looked an easy matter to find the place where the stolen cipher instructions and, perhaps other articles, had been hidden. Sinclair remembered distinctly the location of the tall elm tree, in whose foot he had seen Stein, the mysterious salesman, laboriously toiling with a spade that afternoon. He mentally felt that they should have chosen a hiding place so easy to find—until he remembered that because this spot was so accessible it would in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred be the last in which any one would think of looking.

It was early yet, and as he was not anxious to begin his quest until quite sure of being unobserved he decided to have dinner first. Accordingly he and Smith, the chauffeur, repaired to a nearby hotel and lingered long over their meal. It was nearly 11 o'clock before they were finally set out in the direction of the square which Dalton had named.

It was a beautiful Summer evening, with just enough crispness in the air to bring the blood to one's cheek. The car was in splendid condition, and as it whirled smoothly along through the quiet streets Sinclair felt a strange sense of exultation. Of all the automobile rides which he had taken since his arrival in the city, this was the first which had brought any enjoyment. He was cool and confident of success and in the pleasure of the moment he forgot momentarily the painful memories of the day. Fortunately he had probably forever broken his marriage engagement with brown-eyed Marion.

When the car rolled into the square a distant clock was booming the hour of 12 at night. Twice the car made the circuit of the square, Sinclair the while keeping carefully the tall elm which on account of its great height stood out prominently among the surrounding trees. The spot at its foot where the fresh earth of the lately dug hole showed plainly in the bright moonlight.

By this time the chauffeur was naturally very curious as to the object of this midnight trip. Accordingly Sinclair took the precaution to have him wait with the car on a corner two or three blocks distant from the square. Then, armed with two big screwdrivers from the car's repair kit to use in digging, he cautiously set out in the direction of the elm, where he began to pace to and fro, as though some Malthus in his own coin.

As he stole down the hole had been dug had been carefully replaced, but their height above the surrounding turf indicated to his location beyond all doubt. Making sure that he was not watched, Sinclair began digging. Within the sound of approaching footsteps made him pause momentarily. Once a tall man in a long gray raincoat and a tweed cap passed on the other side. This man was with more than passing curiosity at the well dressed young man digging in the earth, but Sinclair, realizing that he certainly did not present a rather unusual spectacle, felt no apprehension. The man passed on without speaking and disappeared in the distance.

It was hard work with tools so illy adapted for such a purpose and his soft hands, unaccustomed to anything like manual labor, were a mass of blisters before one of the screw drivers touched some thing which gave out a metallic ring. The sound was music to his ears. Scooping out with his hands some more of the dirt he brought to light a small metal box such as is very commonly used for storing valuable papers. Sinclair could hardly repress his joy.

The box was locked up so insecurely that with a little effort with the screw driver the cover flew open. There was no disappointment in store for him as there had been in the case of the packet. At the very top were a mass of papers bound together with rubber bands. He unfolded them and glanced hastily at the topmost sheet. It was almost covered with figures all carefully penned in a woman's hand. Quite evidently these were the cipher instructions which so much depended.

Underneath the papers were a number of boxes such as jewelers use to pack their wares. Sinclair started with eagerness as he opened the largest of these. Inside was the most superb piece of jewelry he had ever seen. It was a golden brooch of the finest workmanship and set with a score of large diamonds which sparkled in the moonlight like so many stars.

Sinclair shivered to think that this priceless piece of jewelry had doubtless been stolen. He struck a match to examine it more closely. On the back engraved in peculiar script were the words: "Verna, Reine de Malrevia."

"Verna." That was the name Miss Atrares had signed to one of her notes. But the other words—"Queen of Malrevia"—what did they mean? Was there to be found in this already long-drawn-out mystery?

On a separate sheet of paper Sinclair found a significant bit of writing. It was in a cramped hand, quite unlike the writing in the other instructions. Evidently these were the directions which had been receiving since he had left the steps to the old Mallon house. Sinclair read over the volume of his night's work and on the trip back to the hotel the big car could not speed too fast to suit his exultant mood.

As he walked down the hotel corridor he was surprised to see light streaming from its number in the door of his room. He was still more surprised to find the door unlocked and to see a tall man in evening dress, standing in front of the chiffonier, with Madame Alvarez' box in his hands.

To Be Continued in To-morrow's Sunday American.

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DON'T HARM PROPERTY IN SEARCHING. THIS IS NOT NECESSARY TO DISCOVER THE TREASURE.

More clews in to-morrow's instalment of the great mystery story. If the reader gets or fails to get any of the treasure to-day, he on the alert for to-morrow's Sunday American.

CHINATOWN RANSACKED IN GOLD HUNT

Persistent Searcher Finally Locates Treasure on Chinese Billboard.

From noon yesterday until noon today crowds of readers of the mystery story, "Hidden—Not Lost," ransacked Chinatown in an attempt to run down the "Chinese song" clew in yesterday's instalment. The hunt was kept up most of the night and the searchers were at it again at daylight.

Chinatown, Japanese and all other nationalities represented in Boston participated in the pursuit. At 6 o'clock this morning S. Ferreira, 28 Dix place, who had scrutinized Chinatown very carefully several times, started a new search.

On a billboard covered with Chinese characters written on red paper, secreted so that just a bit of the red could be seen, the keen hunter discovered $10. He called at this office to-day and told delightedly of his successful search.

Thousands of people stood in front of that billboard between the time the clew was published and the time it was solved, gazed at the peculiar lettering and misread the $10 treasure.

William Clyde of No. 98 Garfield avenue, Revere, won part of the hidden treasure for the second time, running close in to yesterday's chapter of the story. He got $5 at the North Ferry. Promptness in getting the first key edition of the paper and clever sleuth work enabled Mr. Clyde to land this second reward.

Following the clew, "nestled in the air," Joseph White of No. 49 Sand street, Cambridge, discovered $5 near the Castle Square Hotel.

While hundreds of men and women of mature years were looking around the City Hospital for treasure, little Gregory Neal, a boy of eight years, landed $5 which had been hidden in a fence. The little boy, escorted to this office by his mother, told of his find.

A report was made to the BOSTON AMERICAN that money hunters have been roaming up Louisburg square. **This square is private property and, as it has been stated in connection with the "Hidden—Not Lost" contest many times, nothing has been secreted on private property or placed in such a position that it may not be secured without injury to property.**

REPUBLICANS NEED MILLIONS

HOT SPRINGS, Va., July 11.—George R. Sheldon, the new treasurer of the National Republican Committee, reports the receipts of the committee to date are most unanxious to make the first gift for the campaign. Mr. Sheldon does not propose to make public the names of the donors or the amount given until after the election, according to the requirements of the New York State law.

Sheldon leaves to-night for New York and will go to work Monday. Between $4,000,000 and $5,000,000 will be needed for the Taft campaign, it is said.

Mr. Taft has told Chairman Hitchcock and Treasurer Sheldon that he will take no part in the business of running the campaign and will make no campaign speeches before September 1.

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LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABOR COUNCIL 96 BOSTON, MASS.

Delegates from Painters No. 11 were seated last night by the Building Trades Section of the Boston Central Labor Union.

A report was received from the committee which has been interviewing the School-house Commission regarding non-union work in schoolhouses, and also in regard to prevailing wage rate laws being violated. The committee was given additional powers and instructed to make recommendations to the next meeting of the section.

A report was received from a committee which had waited on a gang of carpenters employed on the new addition to the bank building being employed on the job. The bank president referred the committee to the contractor.

The complete vote of the unions affiliated with the section on the increase in per capita tax and a permanent business agent for the section has not been received, but will be ready for the next meeting.

The New England convention of Electrical Workers' Unions opens in this city next Monday, to-day in Wells Memorial Building. Delegates representing the six States were present.

International Vice-President John J. McLaughlin, the district president, acted as chairman.

The main business to-day was the appointing of committees and the receiving of reports. Detail reports were received from New England Organizer L. W. E. Kinsman, Boston and Vicinity Organizer Joyce announced large gains in membership and spoke for the betterment of conditions by many of the locals during the past six months.

LABOR NOTES.

(By) SEMANT NOTES.—Per Batty is Chesley Batty replacing the office of the 2000 Boston Cigar Factors' strikers? No, sir-ee, Bob. A. F. of L. members refuse to take the place of a local manufacturer are being treated by every labor organization affiliated with the A. F. of L.

A committee composed of President William J. O'Neil and Michael J. Sheahan from the Teamsters' Joint Council of Boston, accompanied by Business Agent E. R. Mehegan of Market and Commission Merchants' Union No. 841, waited on Superintendent of Streets Emerson and received assurance that Commercial street would be added every month.

Division No. 109, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, last night adopted the new wage scale. E. L. Shepard of Medford, John Lloyd of Cambridge, Fred Marshall of Boston and John T. Fowle of Somerville were chosen to represent the division on the joint board. The division will meet with the joint board to-night in the international headquarters, No. 29 Broad street, Boston.

Plasterers' Employers No. 16 will hold a special meeting Friday, July 31, to vote on the question of increasing the wages of the plasterers' helpers. It was reported last night that another large office building is under way and will be awarded next week. As a result of the open meeting and initiation last week thirty-five applications for membership were received.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

Grand Board of Adjustmentation, Order of Railway Clerks, at Quincy House.

Railroad Telegraphers, Boston Division No. 41, at No. 104 Canal street.

Carpenters Branch No. 1 at No. 334 Tremont st.

Bakers No. 7 at No. 1,100 Washington street.

Paint Makers No. 173 at No. 104 Canal street.

Order of Waiters No. 183 at No. 446 Tremont street, Castle Square Hall.

Boston Lodge No. 744 at No. 67 Warren street, Roxbury.

Cloth Hat and Cap Makers No. 7 at No. 724 Washington street.

Shirt and Cloak Pressmen No. 12 at No. 80 Vest.

Vest Makers No. 172 at No. 122 Salem street.

Shirt and Cloth Makers No. 15 at No. 15 Leverett street.

ANOTHER FOURTH OF JULY VICTIM DIES

LAWRENCE, July 11.—John S. Costello, aged twelve, died at the home of his parents, No. 55 Kingston street, to-day, from lockjaw as the result of exploding a blank cartridge into his hand from a pistol while celebrating the Fourth of July.

BIG AIRSHIP COMING TO HUB

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Aeronauts throughout the country are to-day greatly interested in the announcement that Henry Farman of France has been elected to membership in the Aero Club and given exhibition of his aeroplane during August and September. According to the contract the aviator is to make trials with Farman's machine and is to pay him $24,000 for his trip to this country.

The first of the exhibitions of the aeroplane is to take place at the Belmont Park Boulevard race track, after which demonstrations of the flying machine will take place in Philadelphia, Boston, Chicago and St. Louis. It is expected that the trials will be held under the auspices of the Aero Club of America, so all flights and records will be classified as official.

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To Friends of the Independence Party

THE birth and progress of the Independence Party marks one of the greatest popular uprisings in the politics of the Republic has ever known.

The Independence Party grew naturally and logically out of the Municipal Ownership League and its vigorous exposure of the Independence League. It is altogether less than four years old.

Within its brief but phenomenal life it has, within the judgment of all thinking men, carried the City of New York, the metropolis of the country, under the leadership of William Randolph Hearst.

Under the gubernatorial candidacy of Thomas L. Hisgen it has outvoted the Democratic party in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It has swept the great city of Chicago and elected Dunne as Mayor in a great campaign.

As its candidate, William Randolph Hearst polled more votes in the State of New York outside of the city than any Democrat has polled in twenty years, and was only defeated by the treason and the knife of McCarren in Brooklyn and Tammany in New York.

It is growing now with marvelous vigor in the East, in the Middle States and in the South, and is the party of the people and the party of the future.

The great purpose of the Independence Party is to restore the power of government to the people and make their will supreme in the primaries, in the elections and in the control of public officials after they have been elected.

The second purpose of the Independence Party is to destroy the power of government by destroying their principal weapon, the corruption fund.

The third purpose of the party is to correct some of the obvious financial and economic evils of this day.

The fourth object is to frame certain lines of great constructive legislation in the interests of all the people.

To these ends the Independence Party seeks to bring under one banner all the real producers of wealth—the farmer, the workingman and the non-privilege-seeking business man—and place the government in their control.

All citizens, therefore, who believe in the desirability of accomplishing these great ends of government are requested to fill out the accompanying blank, and mail to the address of the New England headquarters, given below:

I am in sympathy with the spirit and purpose of the Independence Party, and in order that I may effectively co-operate with my organized friends desire to have its literature sent to the address at attached.

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LOST AND FOUND.

DOG LOST—A Boston terrier, brindle and white, with bell and tag; last in the vicinity of the North Station, about 7:30 p. m. Friday, 10th. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to J. McQUADE, 34 Causeway st.

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

The World's Debt to Mothers of Great Men

The Mother of Vico

By REV. THOMAS B. GREGORY

HISTORY is the memory of the race, the link binding together, into a continuous whole, the passing generations.

Just as the very personal identity itself of the individual depends upon the faculty of memory, so does the integrity of the race depend upon the thing called history. It keeps us acquainted with the past, preserves for us the thoughts and the deeds of what would otherwise be the dead and forgotten ages, and in this way makes possible the accumulative intelligence that is at the bottom of all civilization and progress.

But just as it is extremely necessary that the individual memory should be clear and straight, so it is of prime importance that the memory of the race, known as history, should be sound, rendering a true and reliable account of things past.

We know that for a long time there was but little dependence to be placed on history, especially ancient history. In fact, prior to the seventeenth century history was such a conglomerate of fact and fiction that no one knew, when reading it, whether he was reading truth or falsehood, particularly with regard to the ancient nations from whence issued the original streams of the human story.

A Pioneer Historian

Now, the man to whom belongs the very high honor of having been the pioneer in the work of straightening out the crooked paths of history was the subject of this sketch—John Baptist Vico, born in Naples on June 23, 1668.

This son of a Neapolitan bookseller grew up to be one of the noblest men and profoundest thinkers that the race has ever produced, and among other intellectual triumphs founded the first Systematic Historical Method.

What does history mean? Vico was the first to clearly answer that all-important question.

In a word, he was the founder of what is known today as the "Philosophy of History." He antitypified Montesquieu and Niebuhr, Mommsen and Buckle, and all the rest of those whose combined labors have made it possible for us to see the past as it actually was.

The main conclusions of the splendid German research of the nineteenth century, including the great "Homeric Controversy," were won in advance by the solitary Italian thinker, and there is scarcely a problem on the subject today that was not provided for in the philosophy of this remarkable man.

Name Hardly Known

And yet, so ungrateful is Destiny, generally not one man in a thousand, as men go, has ever heard of Vico!

The sublime thinker who threw the limelight upon the stage of history, making clear and distinct that which before was dim and uncertain, himself stands out in the shadows, unrecognized midst the genius his genius created!

Vico was the only child of Antonio Vico and Candida Masulla.

The father kept a small bookshop in Naples. He was intellectually shipper, and was unusually cheerful in disposition, a kind husband and father and a most agreeable friend and neighbor, but was in no sense noted for mental ability.

The mother, on the other hand, was gifted with a mind of unusual brightness. She was, in fact, a brilliant woman. Possessed of a most remarkable memory, a fine conversationalist, a lover of books, and a woman of brilliancy, however, in no way interfered with her duties as wife and mother.

While the father was selling books at his little stand opposite the church of Santa Pieta, the mother was lovingly and faithfully looking after the mental training and moral nurture of her little boy, in whose star she devotedly believed from the beginning.

Mother Saved Him

When about seven years of age little Giovanni Battista fell from a stair and so seriously injured himself that the physicians declared he would either die or become a hopeless idiot.

It was the faithful nursing of his mother that belied the doctor's prediction and saved the boy to become the mighty jurisconsult and historical critic.

Recovering from his injury, it was found that the wonderful intellect had received no hurt, and Signora Vico, her heart overflowing with joy at the boy's recovery, placed him at school, herself keeping close watch upon his studies.

Her greatest task was to keep him from going too fast. Marvellously precocious, he was always many lengths ahead of his fellow students, and but for the everpresent curb that was put upon him by his mother he would doubtless have killed himself.

Signora Vico did her work faithfully and well, and the result was the incomparable Thinker who revolutionized the Method of History and dissipated forever the distinct mass of the great past that had hitherto been either hidden or distorted by the mist of fable.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

MADE A MISTAKE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am a young man twenty years of age and at present am out of employment. I am in love with a young lady and my means will not take her out. Last evening we had an engagement, and, though I only had a few cents, I had to keep my appointment. I told my friend I would call for her attention and she gave me $2, which I accepted. I love the girl, Miss Fairfax, and really I felt that for me she was very cool. Kindly advise me if I made a mistake by borrowing the money, and is that the cause of her coolness towards me?

I THINK it was a mistake to borrow money from a girl, no matter how great your friendship with her. At the same time, if she lent the money she should have done so graciously. Return the $2 as soon as possible, and do not again be tempted to borrow money from a girl.

DOES NOT LOVE HIM

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

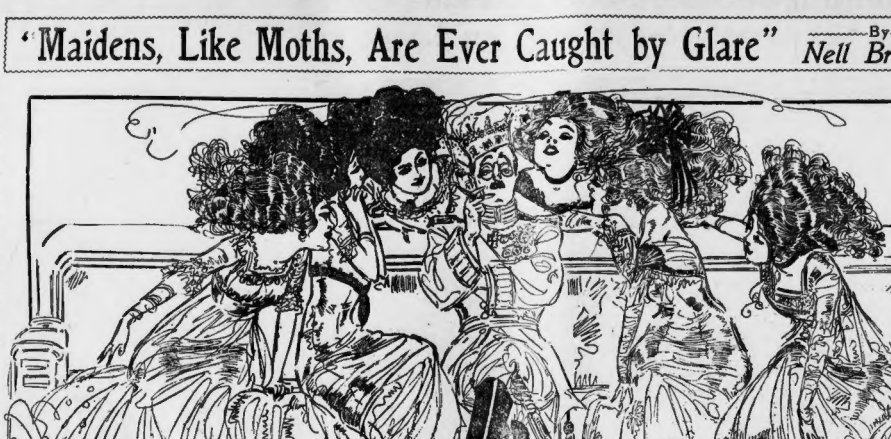
I am eighteen years of age, and about two months ago I was introduced through my brother to a young fellow about two years my senior. Since then he has been calling on me quite often. He has taken me to different places of amusement with his friends and mine, which I have never thought anything of. Last week he asked me if I would give up my other friends and keep steady company with him, but I told him I had to consult my mother; but she does not approve of him, as she always warns me against him. I like him as a friend and nothing more. I never pass an evening with him without quarrelling. If you were I, would you give up your friends for him? I do not think I could ever marry him.

WILHELMINA.

YOUR mother is right in urging you to give him up. You do not love him, and it is not fair to lead him to expect that you ever will. I think you had better give him up, unless he is willing to be a friend and nothing else.

"Maidens, Like Moths, Are Ever Caught by Glare"

By *Nell Brinkley*



"Just watch our own special American girls flutter and fuss and chatter and grow light-headed around this empty thing of tinsel and glitter"

IF he has a crazy crown on one ear, and his chest is a motley patchwork of medals and chains and glittering things, of crosses and circles, orders of the garter, and golden fleeces, and holy ghosts; if he is belted and uniformed and booted, with the sound of a sword clanging against the boots; if he is high-browed and dred-eyed nobility, with his pockets empty when he shakes his hands in them and cocks his head for a rattle—why, then, it doesn't matter how many great-shouldered, clean, sound-minded and-hearted American men may stand around on one foot. Just lay your forelinger over your lip and watch the girls—our own special American girls, that there aren't any others like anywhere in the beautiful world, who are young with the youth of a young country—watch them flutter and fuss and chatter and grow light-headed around this empty thing of glitter and tinsel, and go bobbing over the sea with him, to live at his house, and keep his pockets full so that they may rattle when he shakes his hands in them!

Funny, how a religion with candles and pomp and gold lace, and a dress with sequins, and a man with buttons and a title and a crooked crown and a jangling sword, will make a maid beat all the fairy silver and gold dust off her mouth wings whipping round them!

NELL BRINKLEY.

The Manicure Lady

She Is the Sad Victim of a Blighted Romance

By WILLIAM F. KIRK

"BY the way, kid," said the Head Barber, "what ever became of that Southern gent you were so keen for—the one you were thinking of marrying?"

The Manicure Lady sighed. "Him and Pa didn't hitch," she said. "Pa didn't like him a little bit, and he didn't like Pa even that much. So we reckoned we might as well call it off."

"I thought you said your old man was very fond of him."

"He liked him well enough at first, but one night they got in an argument and when Pa gets going there ain't no mercy in him. He just goes on with the torture, like one of them horses that crawls along your hand and stings you eight or nine times in a row.

"In a way, I pity the South,' Pa says to my friend. 'The South is not altogether bad,' says Pa. 'It has some natural resources, such as Democrats, malaria and cotton.

"I have often thought I would like to live in the South,' says Pa, 'if I couldn't possibly live anywhere else. It's too bad, the South has its spirit over the big rebellion. That awful war was pretty much confined for the most part to Southerners, who have not yet forgotten the battle-cry of 'Lee and Forget.'

"'How about Robert E. Lee?' asks my genial friend. 'Was he not also a great general?' 'Fair to middling,' says Pa, 'just fair to middling.'

"'I have heard about Stonewall Jackson,' says the young chap.

"'Stonewall Jackson,' says Pa, 'I suppose you think he did a great deal for the South, do you? He knew that all right,' says Pa, 'but after getting nothing. So can you.'

"'That was too much for the boy, George. I haven't seen him since."

"'Afford it? What do you mean?' asks my friend from Dixie.

"'What I said goes as it lays,' says Pa. 'I mean that ever since the Rebellion the South has been rather poor. Some money lost there, and while the Southern gentlemen are naturally hospitable, they are often severely embarrassed in the pocket.'

"Their chivalry remains intact, and chivalry is a sweet thing in its way,' says Pa, 'but it takes money to buy food.'

Merciless as a Hornet

"I sure did feel sorry for the young gentleman; but you know, George, when Pa gets going there ain't no mercy in him. He just goes on with the torture, like one of them hornets that crawls along your hand and stings you eight or nine times in a row.

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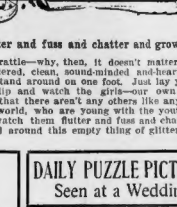

What Wedding Feature is This?

ANSWER

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE

Seen at a Wedding

ONE of the puzzle pictures is published daily in the BOSTON AMERICAN. Cash prizes are in prizes will be given weekly for the best answers.

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First prize	$10
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Cut out the puzzle picture each day, write your answer on each, and mail the complete set of seven to the Puzzle Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, 80 Summer street, with your name and address. Solutions must be sent in to the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

The list of prize-winners of last week's contest together with the final picture of this week's series will be printed in next SUNDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN.

Where lists are equally correct the prizes will be given to those making the best suggestions.

Mending a Family Jar

Hoolsey Made a Good Start, but Spoiled It All

By KENNETT HARRIS

IT was the second morning after the irreparable breach. Hoolsey and his wife were at breakfast.

Mrs. Hoolsey was pale and there was a suspicion of redness about her eyes, but her face was as calm and cold as the northern elevation of an iceberg. Hardly at his paper and from time to time whipped the pages over with savage brisknesss.

When Mrs. Hoolsey helped in the muffins he laid the paper down long enough to remark politely that it looked as if it might rain, to which Mrs. Hoolsey responded with equal politeness, agreeing. Nevertheless, Mrs. Hoolsey took her head in the swinging door closed behind her and for the fiftieth time wondered to the cook "what the devil was the matter with them two."

After a few minutes' silence Hoolsey spoke, this time with an uncomfortable assumption of his usual manner.

"I see Mrs. Fairbanks is having more trouble over that cocktail business, or something."

"Indeed!" said Mrs. Hoolsey, in chilly accents.

Her husband's frown returned to his face and he muttered something indistinctly as he resumed his search for interesting items of news. Mrs. Hoolsey poured herself another cup of coffee and began to sip it daintily. In view of the temperature of the beverage it seemed an imprudent proceeding.

"If I may trouble you for a cup?" said Hoolsey, presently, and with a frigidity that matched his wife's.

She complied with his request without speaking and he took back the cup with haughtily lowered eyes.

A Weak Beginning

"Thank you," said the man, scrupulously.

The meal drew on to a close. Hoolsey pushed his chair back from the table and his wife did the same with hers. As she approached the door he called to her:

"Say, Meg, aren't you tired of this foolishness?"

"I am tired of some things," answered Mrs. Hoolsey, with no softening in her tone. "Very, very tired."

"Oh, all right, then," said her husband. "Keep it up. Keep it up as long as you like. If it pleases you it doesn't hurt me. You can just bet on that."

He flung out of the other end of the room, kicking a hassock out of his way as he went. She pursued with her hand on the knob of the door until he turned on her indignantly demanded, "Well?" Then she went out without replying and with much dignity.

In a minute or two Hoolsey went into the hall and put on his hat and coat. The latter closed behind him with a bang.

Mrs. Hoolsey, peeping from behind a shirred ruling in the window, saw him strike rapidly in the direction of the corner. Once around the corner and out of the turning corner his speed slackened until he was in a stroll.

After a moment's apparent indecision he drew a cigar from his pocket, bit off the end, and something hurriedly with a chemists skin.

Let Him Know? Never!

She seemed surprised, nevertheless, to see her husband in the library when she went down. Her "Oh!" was quite startled.

"I thought you started for town," she said, indifferently—being a woman particular in her speech.

"I forgot something," muttered Hoolsey, rummaging on the top of the bookcase.

"What was it? Perhaps I can help you."

"It's—nothing," he said. "I won't trouble you."

"It's no trouble," said Mrs. Hoolsey, sweetly, but still coldly.

She sat down and watched her husband as he explored the mantelpiece, the window sill and the table in turn. He seemed slightly embarrassed by her regard and presently grumbled out something about letting it go.

He looked at his wife as he passed her, but her gaze was now occupied with something out of the window. She smiled as he went on and then said, very softly, "Jim."

Mr. Hoolsey turned quickly. "What is it, Meg?" he asked.

"Are you tired of it?"

He stooped and raised her from the chair, and, holding her at arm's length, looked at her. The next moment she gave a great sob and threw herself on his breast. His arms went about her in a close embrace.

"Oh!" she cried. "It's been pe-pe-perfectly awful! I c-couldn't have stood it another day! Oh, Jim!"

Doesn't Understand

"There, there!" said Hoolsey, patting her shoulder with the uppermost hand.

"How c-could you have b-been so cruel!"

Hoolsey patted her again. "There!" he said. "There! Don't you think it has been hard on me, girlie? I've been so miserable I haven't known what to do with myself. I felt like taking to drink. Don't cry any more. It's all over now."

"All over, and never, never, never going to happen again, is it, Jim?" she said, smiling through her tears and clinging closer to him.

"Never!" asserted Hoolsey. "Never! I—here, let me go, Meg. Oh, thunder! Now if that isn't just like me!"

He had backed away and was fumbling at his vest with an expression of profound disgust.

"What is it, Jim?" asked Mrs. Hoolsey in alarm.

"Four good 15-cent cigars crushed to rags and powder," replied the husband, disgustingly, extending the proof. "Why, Meg, what on earth is the matter now."

He listened to the hurry of her footsteps up the stairs and to the odd little sounds that terminated with the snap of the lock in her bedroom door.

"Hang it! I believe she's down off the handle again," remarked Jim, to his self, with a bewildered air. "Now what?"

STYLES IN NECKWEAR

THEY are whimsical.

And most contradictorey.

There's the low Dutch collar.

And the constraining, teasing ruff.

And the collar cause that mouth and the cunters now look bare.

The fad of the ruts to scrive was the maddening Pierrot.

It comes in a host of materials and it is said it will be here till Fall.

Husbands That I've Met—Told by a Spinster

A Husband That Cannot Be Trusted

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

THE Spinster Lady was going to the theatre with a friend and the friend's husband. At the last moment there came a note from the friend, saying:

"Dear ——: I am laid up with one of my frightful headaches and won't be able to go to the play, but Edward will call for you at 8 o'clock."

Now the Spinster Lady, while very fond of her friend, did not care at all for the friend's husband, and therefore was not very well pleased at the turn things had taken.

"I can't bear Edward J——," she said with a little shiver. "He always thinks it necessary to be so tiresomely gallant, and to pay a woman such fulsome compliments. However, I would not for the world hurt Nettie's feelings, so I must make the best of it."

So at five minutes after 8 she found herself being assisted into a coupe by the gallant Edward.

"I am so sorry Nettie could not come," she said, as they drove away.

"Odious Man"

"Well, do you know," said Nettie's spouse, with a fatuous grin, "I think it's rather nice going just by ourselves like this; don't you?"

"No," said the Spinster Lady, bluntly. "I don't. I always love doing things with Nettie." "Odious man," she whispered to herself.

They sat in a box and all evening she feigned off his very objectionable attention. Several times he laid his hand familiarly upon her shoulder, and once he attempted to hold her hand.

His conversation was nothing but silly compliments and an attempt at love-making, in the old-enough-to-be-your-father style that every decent women loathes.

Nettie did not understand him, he complained.

The climax came when in the cab on the way home he tried to kiss her.

Then the Spinster Lady sat up and told him what she thought of him.

"It is men of your type that destroy a girl's faith in man. You are married to a good, sweet woman, and you are not worth her little finger. Nettie trusts you, and you try to make love to her best friend.

"If I had a young sister, I would not trust her to your care for five minutes.

'Dangerous!'

"You are the most dangerous kind of a man, because you make a girl feel that your interest is purely brotherly or fatherly. Then you make her feel like a silly or prudish in resenting your attentions.

"If it were not that Nettie so loves and trusts you, I would like to tell her just what kind of a man you are.

"As a married man, you have no right to talk to me in any woman but your wife the tone you have attempted to adopt during the last few evenings.

"What would you think if Nettie went out with a man a great deal older than herself and allowed him to make love to her? You wouldn't like it, would you? There; you may go now, and if you ever say anything of the kind again I will tell Nettie, you may be sure of that."

When the Spinster Lady went into the house she wept a few tears of mingled anger and disgust.

"There are many, many nice men in the world," she mused, "but, oh, dearly me! there are also many who are anything but nice; and the pity of it is that they are married to good, nice women."

Helps for Busy Housewives

If ink is spilled on a mahogany table dilute half a teaspoonful of sulphuric acid with a tablespoonful of water and apply with a soft brush. Wipe mahogany with a damp cloth after the stain has disappeared.

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A great many of the new bodices for children are made with a series of tiny tucks running around the yoke, and the sleeves the seam between the blouse and the sleeve being finished under the plait. Short sleeves are still generally used, as they seem to look best with the current styles.

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To tassey lace in sheer fabric lay on the material to be tucked and measure the right side of the fabric. Baste the two edges of the lace together, and then proceed with fine stitches. This finished, turn back the lace and trim the edge even with sharp scissors cut out the material which lies over the lace very close to the basting. With No. 100 cotton and a fine needle run the edge of the insertion with such close stitches that they will be invisible. The line of sewing will be perfectly firm. This is the simplest form of ruffling and whipping lace.

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In making plaeket for habit-back skirt, the right side is faced with canvas, and after the hooks are sewed fast, faced with silk. The left side is finished with an underlap of the material and buttonholed loops are set on the seamline to meet the hooks on the right side. The belt is made long enough to finish in one piece the top of the skirt and the overlap.

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CUCUMBER PICKLES

WASH and put in a firkin or half-barrel layers of cucumbers and rock salt alternately. Use enough salt to make sufficient brine to float an egg. Put a cloth over them with cloth and keep them under the brine with a heavy board. Take off the cloth and rinse it every time you put in fresh cucumbers, as a scum will rise and settle on them. Use plenty of salt and they will keep a year.

MRS. HERMAN LICHTENSTEIN.
No. 41 Worcester street, Boston.

SEA FOAM ROLLS

POUR one pint of scalding hot milk on one tablespoon of butter, one tablespoon of sugar and one teaspoon of salt. Mix well, and when cool add half a yeastcake and two cups of bread flour. Set to raise for three hours, then add flour enough to knead. Then raise again, and spread the dough again, then roll it out into the thickness of an inch. Cut into biscuits, fold each biscuit into an oblong shape. Brush with butter and fold over. Brush the tops with butter, and let them rise until very light. Bake in a hot oven.

MRS. A. BUCKNAM.
No. 67 Pine street, Stoneham.

PERFECT APPLE PIE

ONE thick slice of bread without crust. To add a pinch of salt, one teaspoon of butter and one cup of sugar, mix with this until smooth, then add one cup of sugar, one cup of cream and the yolks of two eggs. Stir in apples and cook with one or two crusts. Make the meringue of the whites of eggs, to made with one crust. Never fails.

MISS MARGARET I. PETERSON.
No. 4 St. Margaret street, Dorchester.

CHOCOLATE CUSTARD

FOR one pie, take two eggs, one-half cup of sugar, one square of chocolate (or cocoa) and one pint of milk. Mix all together, add one pint of sweet milk, turn into a pie plate and bake in moderate oven until done.

MISS ABBIE L. COBBETT.
Abington.

POTTED MACKEREL

TAKE small mackerel, split open, wash and rub with salt and pepper. Lay in earthen dish and sprinkle with clove and cinnamon. Just cover with good cider vinegar. Cover the dish and bake forty minutes. Let them get cold before taking out of dish. You will find them very nice.

MRS. F. G. HARWOOD.
No. 86 Maple street, Fawtucket, R. I.

MONDAY BARGAINS
IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

For Monday's best opportunities for Boston's busy shoppers see shopper's complete guide in to-morrow's
SUNDAY AMERICAN

It Was Hotter in the Old Days

THE grocer stopped half-way in tying up a package to wipe his streaming brow.

"It there was only a breath of air stirring I could make out to stand it," he said. "This is fierce."

"You ought to have been around here in the early days," remarked the oldest resident. "This ain't nothin'—nothin' to speak of. I ain't what you might call fell bout this summer."

"That must be a pleasant thought to you as you are aproachin' your end," observed the grocer. "If you don't feel this you won't feel anything. You remind me of a piece that I read in the paper about a feller that died out in Arizona. He got used to the climate there an'——"

"I remember by father readin' that piece when I was a little feller. He used to get a goslin'," said the oldest resident. "I don't call this hot, anyway. I've plowed where Buckmaster's store is when it was a right hotter than this."

"I s'pose you built you a fire out o' brush to thaw out the ends of your fingers," said the grocer, sarcastically.

"I ain't foolin'," said the oldest resident, with offended dignity. "Some days I think that ain't so, but it is. A day like this we would have thought nothin' of. Not at this time of the year.

"If it was some 102 in the shade along Christmas or New Year's you'd have noticed it," said the grocer.

"Along about Christmas or New Year's it was cold," said the oldest resident. "When I first come to this country it was hot in the Summer as cold in the Winter. We had more than 'nd over the tops of the fences an' pack down hard so's you could sleigh-ride over 'em. You don't get no such snows as that now."

"I wish we could get one—now," said the grocer.

"I've had my breakfast with my mittens on the 'bunty a thaw," said the oldest resident, definitely. "No, it ain't cold in the Summer nor as cold in the Winter as it used to be. That's how you got to say about that."

Nothing," replied the grocer. "You're an old man an' a customer o' mine."

"I don't believe that it got any hotter than this," said the oldest resident. "I know what's the matter with you. If you're right, though, all these buildin's around here shuts off the hot air that you need to get. You didn't have nothin' to protect you in the early days."

"I haven't got it figgered out why, but it's so," persisted the oldest resident. "You just don't believe me," said the oldest resident. "That's all there is to it."

Tea Gowns in Vogue

THE English custom of wearing tea gowns for a semi-negligee toilet has now become quite popular in this country, and there are many beautiful designs shown for use at Spring house parties or for informal dinners on Summer evenings. What style could better adapt itself to this purpose than the perfect supple lines of the new clinging dresses covered with a transparent coat or tunic of lace or net? The gold tassels are much in evidence at the present time, and these used artistically as decorations further enrich the beautiful creation. White crepe de chine is the most inexpensive teagown that one may procure, and it needs only a little Persian embroidery applique to make it a garment fit for a queen.

The Summer girl, too, will find that she can make an inexpensive and simple gown with a little good dotted swiss and some valenciennes or cluny lace. It should, of course, be made slightly decollete, but not too much so, while the line of the neck should be softened by lace or mailine. The skirt should be long and clinging. Not too long, of course, for one must be careful to have it so that it is possible to walk without tripping ungracefully over it.

A very simple teagown is made of pink organdie, cut a la princesse, with a V-shaped opening in front of waist and skirt, filled in with tucked redlum satin in a light ivory shade.

WOMEN MUST LEARN

THAT late hours are a frequent cause of the appearance of premature wrinkles.

That if we took the trouble occasionally to count our mercies most of us would find that we have more to be thankful for than to grumble at.

That absence of occupation is not rest.

That you cannot expect admiration if you never take any trouble to deserve it.

That if you really care for a person you will not say unkind things to, or of, them.

That personal remarks are seldom in good taste.

That when you meet a friend and say to her, "How poorly you are looking!" it is by no means paying her a compliment.

That your politeness will not leave you a bit less for your frankness in saying "no" at the right moment.

THE NEW COMPLEXION

IT must be a smoky white.

The thing of color is interdicted.

All Paris has gone mad over the ghost-flower skin.

A glint of amber is fervently sought by many Parisiennes.

The pallor may be bought in pots and put on extravagantly.

Or one may sit in a darkened room and start on an ascetic diet.

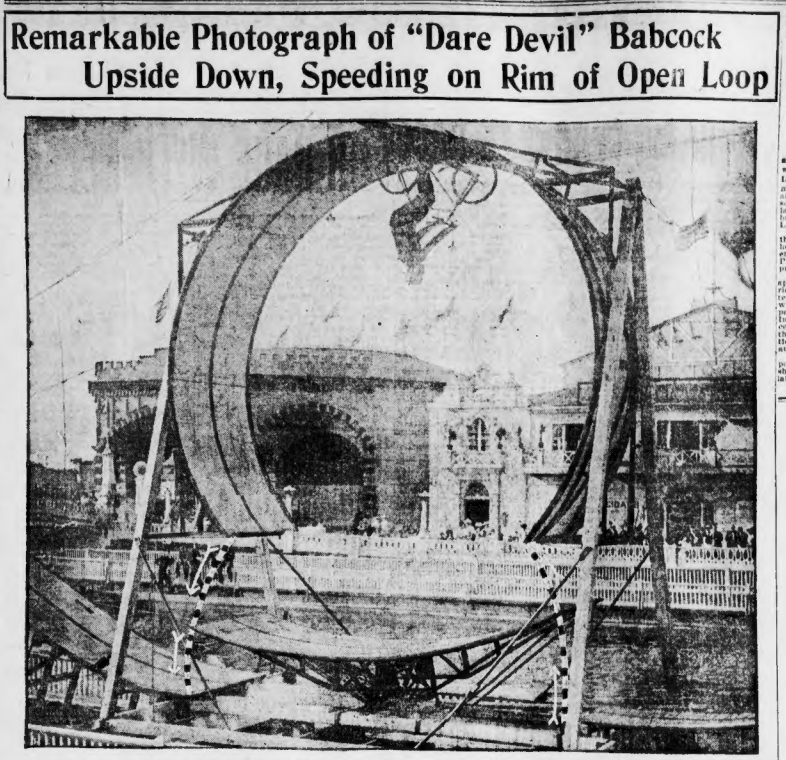
Milk is said to produce the desired pallor and vegetables result in a clear pale blood.

Macaroni and italian pastes are recommended to give the pasty look.

With the Pierrot skin very red lips, red hostrils and red ears are worn.

In fact, the weirdest, most morbid and ghoul-like make-up is prescribed.

Remarkable Photograph of "Dare Devil" Babcock Upside Down, Speeding on Rim of Open Loop



Boston American snapshot of Death defying cyclist and trap half way sprung. The rider enters the loop from the right and whirls around the track in two-thirds of a second during which time the trap must tilt back to connect the loop with the final dash over the lagoon.

GIVE AWAY A FORTUNE TO AID BEAUTY

Every Boston Woman Will Have a Chance to Preserve Her Youth.

Beauty of face and form is a precious gift and its preservation is a solemn duty. All the women of Boston and suburbs know it, therefore they will are interested in the claims made on behalf of the preparation of the Dr. Charles Flesh Food Company of Brooklyn, which will give away, free of cost, $250,000 worth of its goods in this city. A coupon from the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN and the purchase of a box of Dr. Charles face powder are all that will be necessary for any person to participate in the distribution.

Any Woman May Stay Young.

The Dr. Charles Company's new book, "The Art of Massage," is being read by thousands. The company is giving it away free. In the book contains simple suggestions by which, it is claimed, any woman, in the privacy of her own home, may keep herself young and beautiful to long past the middle life and far into the winter of old age.

Any, according to the book, is not a matter of feeling and not of years; beauty is a woman's birthright. Wrinkles! What woman doesn't detest them? The book says they are unmistakable evidences of inanition and malnutrition of the skin, while the rest of the body is free from them. They require special massage and nutrition. Wrinkles do not indicate age until a person is past sixty.

No Agent More Successful.

Properly administered, the company claims, there is no agent more successful in obliterating wrinkles than the Dr. Charles Flesh Food, applied twice a day. The book, showing just how the massaging should be done, can be had by applying by mail to the company at the Brooklyn office, No. 752 Fulton street.

DEATH NOTICES.

CONLON—At St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, July 10, Rev. Sister Louise Conlon of St. Mary's Orphan Asylum, Dorchester.

Funeral notice later.

DILLON—City Hospital, July 10, Thomas Dillon, youngest beloved son of Charles J. and Katie E. Dillon, aged 3 yrs. 25 days.

Funeral from parents' residence, 20 Cabot st., Sunday, July 12, at 1:15 p. m. Services at 2 o'clock at St. Francis de Sales church. High mass of requiem Monday, at 8:45. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

DWYER—July 9, Marietta Tracy, wife of Michael J. Dwyer.

Funeral from her late residence, T 86, John E. Jenkins Place, Monday, July 13, at 8 a. m., thence mass at St. Thomas' Church at 9 o'clock.

KIRBY—On this city, July 10, Margaret K., beloved wife of Edward A. Kirby and sister Leonard, aged 37 years.

Funeral from parents' residence, 17 Rostin st., Saturday, July 11, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

KEARNEY—In Dorchester, July 9, Patrick F., beloved husband of Isabella Kearney (nee Wells), formerly of Claghjordan, Co. Clare.

Funeral Sunday at 2 p. m. at his late residence, 1 Evelyn av., Dorchester. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

O'BRIEN—On South Boston, July 9, Mary L. O'Brien.

Funeral from the residence of her niece, Mrs. Dr. Walter J. Cavanagh, 159 Broadway, Monday, July 13, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. St. Louis papers please copy.

RUSSELL—In Dover, N. H., Percy H. Russell, aged 40 yrs.

Funeral services Sunday, July 12, at 11 o'clock, from his late residence, 8 Third st., Wellington. Mass. Burial at Lynnfield, Mass.

SOMMERVILLE—In Roxbury, July 10, Thomas J., beloved son of Clara and the late Thomas Somerville.

Funeral from parents' residence, 20 Holmes st., Monday, July 13, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at Mission Church at 9 o'clock. Attendance of relatives and friends requested.

VANCE—In South Boston, July 10, Elizabeth, widow of Patrick Vance.

Services at her late residence, 221 Fourth st., Sunday, July 12, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

LOOP-THE-LOOP PURSUIT RACE AGAINST DEATH

Daring Cyclist Tells His Own Story of Thrilling Ride at Wonderland.

"Running a pursuit race with death" is the way the loop-the-loop and jump-the-gap act of "Dare-Devil" Babcock at Wonderland has been aptly described.

For in this whirlwind ride Oscar V. Babcock is constantly attended by the possibility of accident that will be all likelihood be fatal, certainly very injurious at the least.

And all through the mad dash the rider is protected except by a closely-fitting leather cap, with ear protectors and a steel cross-piece on the top, which would serve to shield his skull somewhat in case of a heading crash against the apparatus or the ground.

Babcock's Story of Ride.

Danger attends the rider from the start. "In fact," says Babcock, "the getaway is the hardest part of the ride in some ways, in mounting my wheel at the top of the high incline to prevent premature escapes from being shaken off. I have no speed, of course, at the very start, though I pick up terrific speed mighty quick. During this start any side wind gives my wheel a wicked twist.

"As soon as I leave the top of the incline I relax my tense grip on the handlebars and feel at ease—comparatively speaking.

"Just before I enter the loop I get a quick sight on a spot about ten feet ahead of me. As I climb to the top of the loop the speed gets a bit slower. Then I look ahead to see if the trap is working. That is the only chance I get to see if the trap is coming together for me.

"If ever it fails to work, the only thing I can do is to steer right off from the side of the loop and take my chances of a fall. I couldn't ride on into the open trap.

Fearful Head Pressure.

"Coming down the side of the loop I get a fearful wind pressure on my head, tending to pull my head forward. It took me a long time to get used to that pressure and to brace myself for it.

"I come down the last few feet of the loop with muscles all bound up, so to speak. At the lowest part of the loop, just before I shoot out to jump the gap, I relax again, in clearing the gap I prepare for the pounding force of the platform landing. I stiffen up and hit the platform almost standing in the saddle.

"All this happens in a flash, much quicker than I can tell it. There is the swift descent of the incline, the dizzy whirl of the loop, the rise to the take-off, the flight over the gap and then the sudden shock of the landing, all coming in such rapid succession that they are passed in a twinkling.

Watch for the Free Tickets.

"But I have, by a sort of mechanical mental process, acquired these different varieties of riding for the different phases of the ride, seeking to accommodate myself to the successive conditions of speed and gravity."

Babcock will perform at Wonderland all next week. The Sunday American Outing Club will see the act. To-morrow's DAY AMERICAN will publish free tickets for the Monday and Tuesday representing a saving of fifty cents to readers. Get the paper early Sunday, clip the tickets and use them according to directions.

PARIS LABOR TROUBLES.

PARIS, July 11.—At a meeting of the association of contractors a general lockout was voted. This stimulus has been brought about by the workmen's campaign of partial strikes, boycotts, etc.

WIFE SHOT ON STREET BY JEALOUS HUSBAND

With a bullet in her body and bullet wounds in her arm and leg, the result of an attack by her husband during a jealous fury, Mrs. Sarah Anderson, aged forty-eight, of No. 23 Tyler street, Chinatown district, to-day lies in a critical condition at the Relief Hospital, while her husband, Andrew, aged sixty-four, is under arrest at the Lagrange street station, charged with assault with intent to kill. The surgeons say she has a chance for recovery.

Anderson was to-day arraigned in the Municipal Court before Judge Parmenter, but in the absence of Assistant District Attorney John Quinn, waived examination. Anderson was held in $5,000 for the Grand Jury.

While scores of people looked on, Anderson last night pursued his wife from their home, overtook her within 100 yards, knocked her to the ground and, standing over her unconscious body, fired four shots from a thirty-two caliber revolver directly at her head. Three of the bullets took effect, one entering the body and the others hitting her right arm near the wrist and her right leg. Anderson thrust his revolver into his pocket and fled towards Kneeland street, running into the arms of Patrolman John J. Hanrahan of Station 4. After a battle Hanrahan disarmed Anderson and placed him under arrest.

To-day Anderson made this statement about the shooting: "She was not true to me. She left my home and I wanted her to return, but she did not, so I attempted to use force and hope that in doing so I did a good job.

BULLET FROM AMBUSH LAYS ITALIAN LOW

QUINCY, July 11.—Tony Ferlari is in a critical condition to-day at the Quincy city hospital as a result of being shot last night by some one who was lying in ambush outside where Ferlari lives. The police are of the belief the shooting is the result of a feud of some kind among the Italians of this city.

Ferlari was standing near a lighted window drawing a drink of water when the shot was fired that struck him. The bullet entered Ferlari's stomach and caused a dangerous wound.

APPLICATIONS FOR NEWSBOYS

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—Will you kindly inform the newsboys of Boston that their applications to the Newsboys' Camp to be run at Hull-fax under the auspices of the West End House should be filed with Thomas Mullen, the president of the Newsboys' Union, who will receive the same from 2 to 3 p. m. daily at the headquarters of the Newsboys' Union, No. 235 Washington street, Room 27. Very truly yours,

MITCHELL FREEMAN,
Superintendent West End House.

Boston, Mass., July 9, 1908.

RELATIVE OF MORGAN PENNILESS SUICIDE

NEW YORK, July 11.—Miss Louise Boyer, fifty years old, a relative of J. Pierpont Morgan and cousin of the late Dr. Theodore L. Cuyler, committed suicide in her apartment at No. 233 East Twenty-first street by inhaling gas. Miss Boyer was penniless and her rent was due.

$1.90 in Tickets Free with Boston Sunday American

Here are the tickets to the Summer amusement parks of New England, a great FREE offer to the readers of next Sunday's AMERICAN:

Wonderland Park.

Admission	.10
Hell Gate	.10
Wild West (25-cent ticket for 10 cents)	.15
Velvet Coaster (two 5-cent tickets for 5 cents)	.05
Merry-Go-Round (two 5-cent tickets for 5 cents)	.05
Miniature Railway (two 5-cent tickets for 5 cents)	.05
Total	.50

Paragon Park.

Admission	.10
Loop-the-Loop Circus	.25
Human Laundry	.10
Total	.45

Vanity Fair, Rhode Island.

Monday, July 13, admission	.10
Human Butterfly	.10
Thursday, July 16, admission	.10
Rocky Road to Dublin	.10
Hereafter	.10
Saturday, July 11, admission to the park of children under ten years	.10
Total	.60

Canobie Lake Park, N. H.

Admission to theatre	.10
House of Mirth	.05
Laughing Gallery	.05
Shooting Gallery	.05
Total	.25

Lexington Park.

Admission to the park and theatre	.10
Total	.10
Grand total	$1.90

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INDEPENDENCE PARTY LAUNCHED IN MAINE

LABOR, BUSINESS, PROFESSIONAL MEN ATTEND MEETING IN C. L. U. HALL, PORTLAND.

PORTLAND, Me., July 11.—With Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield, Mass., who, as a candidate of the Independence League for Governor of Massachusetts won more votes than were cast for the million aire candidate of the Democrats, as sponsor, the Independence party of Maine was launched last night at a meeting of labor, business and professional men at Central Labor Union Hall, No. 420 Congress street.

The representative audience that filled the hall showed surprising enthusiasm after hearing Mr. Hisgen, Dr. B. Langley Crockett of Thomaston, Herbert E. Bryant of Plymouth, Mass., and others. C. L. Ames presided.

Mr. Hisgen made a deep impression. His apparent sincerity and rugged honesty carried conviction to the hearts of all his listeners, as he told of his interesting struggle with the Standard Oil Company and compared it with the present struggle of the Independence party against the monopoly controlled "Old Parties." He explained the purposes and aims of the new organization, and held the close attention of his audience for half an hour.

Herbert E. Bryant explained the purposes of the party and declared its ideals should encourage every patriotic voter and laboring man to help in its work.

Dr. Crockett, always a virulent and aggressive speaker, caused a sensation by his straight from the shoulder attacks on the methods of the old parties in Maine, paying special attention to the members of the Democratic State Committee, whom he characterized as men tied to moneyed interests.

A provisional committee of the Executive Committee of the State Committee, consisting of seven members was elected as follows:

C. Lester Ames of Bridgeton, Hon. Edward H. Dove of Biddeford, Dr. George L. Crockett of Thomaston, G. T. Meserve, Madison; Milton Beckwith, Ellsworth; Frank Mitchell, Bangor; James O'Rourke, Portland. Mr. Ames was made secretary.

It was unanimously voted to send the men to the national convention of the Independence party to be held at Chicago July 27 and 28, and to determine the expediency of placing State and county tickets in Maine this Fall.

In an interview after the meeting Hon. Herbert H. Sturgis, Republican State ex Senator and foser father of the famous "Sturgis inheritance settlement law," who was an interested auditor at the meeting, said:

"Within eight years from now you will see the Independence Party one of the great political parties of this country, mark my words."

Little Mary Recites for Anty Drudge.

Anty Drudge—"Now say it again, Dearie. It's every word true."

Little Mary—"See my nice, new party frock,
So clean and fresh and bright.
Anty washed it with Fels-Naptha;
That's why it is so white."

Just a few of the thousands of unsolicited testimonials regarding Fels-Naptha soap:

So Much Less Work.

"Through Mrs. Dr. Robinson, I learned first of your naptha soap and must admit I tried it without much hope of success, but I was surprised at the result. The following week I tried it on a large washing and was delighted beyond measure. I will use no other as long as I can get Fels-Naptha. I tell every lady about it that I come in contact with, for I feel it a duty I owe every working sister. I laughingly told a gentleman friend who did not know his wife if he did not provide her with Fels-Naptha soap, Mr. Grundy says I am half crazy about it, but I have so much less work, do my meals time for other things and so much less fatigued when I am through, I am done that I feel I cannot speak too highly of Fels-Naptha soap or speak of it too often. All my neighbors will endorse every word I have written and can invite anyone to."

MRS. J. B. MAGINNIS,
San Antonio, Texas.

Clothes White as Snow Before.

"I have been using Fels-Naptha soap for almost six months and consider it the only soap for dining room, kitchen and laundry. My silver and glass is now so bright and beautiful as it does since using Fels-Naptha soap, and the clothes, towels, linens, etc., are whiter than ever before."

KATHARINE L. KENNAN,
Owing Mills, Md.

Fels-Naptha Don't Injure the Clothes.

"On account of the lines of my washwoman, I had a chance to give Fels-Naptha soap a thorough test and I wish to say that I am more than pleased. It is not the clothes to be the least. It just makes the dirt let go and leaves them white as the driven snow. Several highly advertised and laboratory-made soaps have come under my notice, but it seems to fill the bill like Fels-Naptha. My husband just asked me if I was going to make a batch for myself as a washwoman. I told him I was using Fels-Naptha soap I can be independent of a washwoman if I wish."

MRS. G. N. STRAUB, Louisville, Ky.

Fels-Naptha Soap Did It.

"There are so many worthless soaps (especially of the laundry variety) on the market now that I feel it a duty to you, and it certainly is a pleasure to tell you how highly we appreciate Fels-Naptha. I have used the soap since first introduced to us by one of your agents, nearly five years ago, and feel safe in saying that it is superior to any upon the market to-day. When we have occasion to use large washing and comment upon how nicely I have accomplished the task, my husband invariably says Fels-Naptha did it."

EMILY APPLE, Johnstown, Pa.

Room to Housekeepers.

"Never before in my experience as a housekeeper have I felt called upon to write my thanks to any of the numerous items I daily handle in housekeepers' on the market, but since I first used Fels-Naptha soap I have been filled with gratitude to the person who gave to housekeepers this great laundry saving soap. I have sung its praises until my friends think it is really quite a joke, because for everything my answer is 'Use Fels-Naptha soap.' I want to thank you for the great comfort and pleasure its use has brought to me and I say sincerely that you have conferred a great favor upon the fair sex when you invented it. Room to be housekeeper."

MRS. EMMETT, Dayton, Ohio.

Every Spot Came Off.

"I never before wrote a testimonial for anything, but a sense of what is due you prompts me to send you this unsolicited comment of the worth of your splendid soap—Fels-Naptha. During the winter our stovepipe sprung apart at one of the joints (in the hallway) and the snow melted and ran into the soot forming a sort of mucilage water. I suppose—which spattered out on the linoleum carpet. It was a most unpleasant mar on an otherwise pretty floor. We had proposed we should have to hire a painter to come and paint the washboards and then re-varnish and paint, as we had tried soaps in vain and other things too—to remove the unsightly, black-spattered spots. Imagine our surprise and delight when my girl applied Fels-Naptha to them. Every spot came off and the wood was as clean as new. I have been a friend of such a home-hold friend, and gladly commend it to all housekeepers. We want it a good thing."

MRS. M. D. MCKEE,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

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"Crossing the continent last summer, I noticed a gentleman on a train in Arizona in the wash room with the private soap box. I asked him if ordinary soap was not good enough for him and he replied that crossing through alkali country Fels-Naptha was the only kind that could be used without cracking the hands or face and he advised me to never travel without it. My wife uses Fels-Naptha soap for washing and other domestic purposes and told me last evening that she was the most satisfactory soap she had ever used."

VICTOR KAUFFMANN,
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CLEVELAND CLUB PUTS IN CLAIM FOR STAHL

Jake Stahl, the new Red Sox first baseman, will not join Deacon McGuire's bunch until Monday, as he has some business to settle up in New York to-day. This news came over the long distance telephone to President Taylor to-day, and when the President and the player had finished their conversation a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter got hold of the receiver and asked Stahl if he liked the idea of coming to Boston.

"I am glad to finally land back in Boston again," said Jake. "I was here for a season a few years ago, you know, and I like the town mighty well. I thought I would get back here in the Spring of 1907, but there was some mix-up in the deal, so I played independent ball in Chicago last season. Everything was fixed up later, and I went to New York. Now I am going back to Boston again, and I'm glad of it.

"I shall try my best to make good on first base. It is a position I like, and if I can manage to make a base hit now and then that will help some.

Manager McGuire was pleased at the deal by which Stahl joined the Red Sox.

"I think Jake will ginger up the infield a lot. He can hit the ball, too, and I want to see him come along often with a good drive. If we were a little better off for pitchers we could go at a faster clip, but all things considered I think we are doing very well for a practically new club. Next year I hope we will make a better showing, but this season is only half over, and we will keep on fighting to the end, trying to improve our position and hoping after very game to win."

President Taylor expressed his pleasure at being able to land Stahl. "I have been after Jake for two years," declared John I. "I tried hard to induce Manager Cantillon of the Washington team to let him go, but I failed even when Stahl declared he would not play for Washington any more. When Washington would not release him he played independent ball last season. I still had my eye on him and tried again to get him, but New York landed him and I was not able to finally get him until yesterday. I think he will help the Red Sox a lot. He is an earnest, hustling player and a great favorite with Boston fans."

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
St. Louis	44	30	.595
Detroit	41	32	.562
Cleveland	39	32	.549
Chicago	36	35	.507
Boston	33	41	.446
Washington	27	45	.375
New York	27	45	.375

GAMES TO-DAY.

Detroit at Boston.
Cleveland at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Washington.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Cleveland, 5; Boston, 2.
Detroit, 8; New York, 2.
St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 0.
Chicago, 2; Washington, 2—16 innings; darkness.

NAPS SAY STAHL BELONGS TO THEM

CLEVELAND, O., July 11.—The Cleveland American League Club to-day filed a claim for Stahl with President John Dan Stahl, outfielder sold by the Highlanders to the Boston American club, Cleveland's claim is that the club had purchased Stahl yesterday and mailed a check to President Farrell before the sale of the player to Boston was consummated.

When told that the Cleveland club had filed a claim for Stahl with President John son of the American League, Mr. Taylor said:

"I have no doubt but that President Johnson will decide in the Boston club's favor. Cleveland may have wired President Farrell of the New York club that they wanted Stahl and at the same time mailed a check for him, but I got in ahead of Cleveland by using the long distance telephone and landed the player before the telegram from Cleveland was received."

TIGERS ARE GOING AT A FAST CLIP

To-day we have the American League champions, the Tigers, with us, and the most likely candidate for similar honors this year, judging by the gait they are setting.

After taking five straight from the Highlanders they come over to the Hub expecting to keep up their stampede, but after hearing about the series with the Naps have got a feeling that their winning streak is about to be interrupted.

Some club has got to stop the Tigers in their mad rush on this Eastern trip, and they went through the Highlanders like water through a sieve, much to the disgust of the Gotham fans, and knocked the team down into the cellar position.

The team is playing the fastest ball seen on the circuit for some time, and it will take a strong and lively combination to stem them at their present clip.

If the Red Sox can maintain the same high standard against the Tigers as they displayed with the Naps there is a chance for upsetting the Westerners in the same way.

Their star pitcher, Wild Bill Donovan, has won eight straight games and is once again assuming the top place among the pitchers of the big league, while the others on Jennings's force are following him in good shape in pulling down the wins.

Willetts, the youngster whom Jennings picked up, has a record already of six victories out of nine games, and even Summers, the other young box artist, is doing better work than the veterans Killian and Mullin.

Charley O'Leary, the regular shortstop, is out of the game temporarily with an injured hand, and Dutch Schaefer is covering the place, with Downs on second.

Ty Cobb is creating a sensation at every stopping place and holds his own at the top of the league staggers.

DAHLEN OF DOVES HAS MADE 81 HITS

Dahlen of the Doves has the most hits of any Boston player, with 81, and it will not be long before he passes the coveted 100 mark. The averages:

BOSTON AMERICANS.

	ab.	h.	2bb.	3bb.	br.	Av.
Gardner	15	0	0	1	0	0
McMullell	245	71	12	2	0	.290
Cicvath	180	39	10	3	4	.217
Lord	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Gessler	223	54	05	2	2	.242
Dahlen	325	81	16	2	2	.249
Stahl	177	47	25	2	2	.265
Unglaub	200	52	66	11	3	.260
Young	92	19	9	0	0	.206
Buckell	30	7	0	0	0	.233
Wallace	181	42	17	1	0	.232
Wagner	244	59	58	5	2	.242
Criger	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Clarke	121	31	8	0	1	.256
Carrigan	47	11	6	0	0	.234
Morgan	13	1	2	0	0	.077
Wolter	5	1	0	0	0	.200
Powell	16	3	2	0	0	.188

BOSTON NATIONALS.

	ab.	h.	2b.	3b.	br.	Av.
Graham	58	8	3	0	0	.138
Bergman	295	67	11	2	0	.227
Dahlen	280	81	18	3	2	.289
Casey	267	61	11	2	1	.228
McGann	254	77	10	3	2	.303
Smith	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Bowerman	196	44	8	2	1	.224
Needham	11	2	0	0	0	.182
Moran	1	0	0	0	0	.000
McCarthy	14	2	1	0	0	.143
Brown	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Kelley	122	10	20	2	3	.082
Hamilton	150	29	22	3	1	.193
Young	10	0	2	0	0	.000
Ferguson	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Rudolph	45	7	2	0	0	.156
Coulson	2	0	0	0	0	.000
Bates	13	1	1	0	0	.077
Moriarty	2	0	0	0	0	.000
Pfeffer	2	0	0	0	0	.000

BOSTONIANS WIN AT WHIST.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The American Whist Club of Boston won the Hamilton trophy and the championship for teams of four to-day in the American Whist League congress, defeating Baltimore, Scranton, Chicago, Springfield, Mass., New Haven and New York. The Bostonians were the winning Boston team were Ward, Kelley, Slade and Morey.

JACK CRONIN SUSPENDED.

PROVIDENCE, July 11.—President P. T. Powers of the Eastern League announces that he has imposed a fine of $50 on Jack Cronin, pitcher for Providence, who in the game at Jersey City Thursday deliberately hooked Mr. Jennings. In addition to the fine Cronin has been suspended indefinitely.

CONDITION TELLS STORY IN BIG READVILLE RACE

BY ED. COGSWELL.

Those who troubled themselves enough to travel out to Readville track and see the free-for-all trot decided, had the satisfaction of having been to a real horse race. The time was not so fast up to a couple of seconds as was anticipated, but extremely fast trotting does not in itself constitute a contest. The time of any race can be understood and appreciated by any having listened to the pitter pat of hoof steps when the equine is engaged in earnestly striving to defeat all rivals in reaching the wire in the van.

It was hard for the public to believe that after the pulling and hauling between the people and the drivers of the horses entered in the fast race that the event could possibly be on the level. It was on this account that many devotees of the light harness sport altered their original plans and remained away from the course. But those who did certainly lost a treat.

To begin with both Alix McDonald and Billy Andrews gave all of their old shoes, to use a homely expression, to have the best of the summary of the race in their pupils. There is more rivalry between the two noted reinsmen and drivers than most horsemen can realize.

No Chance For Collusion.

It is true that both Major Delmar and Sweet Marie belong to the stable of William G. Bradley of New York. This might make it possible of collusion in the event both horses were the drivers of the steeds otherwise than the ones named. But collusion and water would more readily become a mixture than that these two men could agree to come in the other in a fast race. But to the lesson gained from the free-for-all at Readville.

In the first place it can be said that not one of the three starters were quite up to their best form. Major Delmar had his lick of speed, but was not capable of carrying it to compass a mile to that point he should when right at an edge.

The same is likely to be said Sweet Marie and Wilkes Heart, though the former was apparently nearer to the mark than her opponents. This was demonstrated by the way that she was enabled to trot the last end of her heats, in the front of the two many miles Andrews had put under her body and legs in the effort to keep Dan Deekeepin track. With this a fact the race ought to do her a lot of good in making her right to form were she to have another engagement in the immediate future.

Major Delmar Not Himself.

With Major Delmar, he had a hurried preparation since arriving at Readville two weeks ago. McDonald had not been working him with the idea of having to race him till last month at least. When George E. suddenly sent lame McDonald was compelled to drop back on Major Delmar. That he was lacking, and it could not have been expected that the gelding would be from his previous mark of 2:07¼ to 2:06, with only a couple or so weeks of fast work.

Regarding Wilkes Heart. Six weeks ago he was shipped to Poughkeepsie from New Jersey and up to that time had not been asked to trot a mile in three minutes. Sielle desired that his gelding would be in shape to do himself credit in the fast race at Readville, and shaped his plans with that object in view.

In his initial workout at Poughkeepsie he turned the track in 2:40. The next time it was in 2:20¼, to 2:12¼, and followed in successive workouts in 2:11¾ and 2:09¾ at which the colt accomplished in the matter of four weeks. He was shipped to Readville eight days ago. To show the public that the free-for-all trot was not to be a prolonged last Sunday heats best stepped at 2:09.

Good and well for that purpose, but not for mile heats with the average scoring that goes with it. His turn of speed was apparent in the way that he came home in second and third heats clear into the summary at the finish, while the colt in nature prevented him from going further. He had given out that his hurried preparation could have expected. To those knowing the going it is needless to state that when fitted properly he never backs water when beyond the long distance post.

The Best Trotter Won.

However, it was certainly a horse race from the drop of the hat and the best trotter won. Were the same horses to compete again a month from now it is probable much better time would be made and the result a matter of doubt.

The mutinee events, under the auspices of the Gentlemen's Driving Club of Boston, developed in sort of a donation party to Frank G. Hall, who came home with three races dangling at his belt. This was all the races in which he started horses which perhaps permitted L. R. Peck and W. D. Hunt to carry away the laurels in the other two events on the card. They were given the winners of these mees, and Frank Hall is holding his prize money in background for the newly decorated dining room at the Adams House.

A. A. A. TOURISTS OFF ON HARD TRIP TO-DAY

BY J. C. KERRISON.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 11.—Realizing that one of the hardest day's trip of the entire tour lay before them, the participants in the A. A. A. tour lost no time whatever in getting into fighting trim. All the cars were in shape for immediate use the moment they were registered out of a control. The refilling with gasoline and water having all been accomplished last evening. Every one admits that to-day's trip is to be a "hustler," which idea is somewhat substantiated by the fact that, although the distance is but 108 miles, the schedule gives seven hours' running time. The hill, all the way over the Youghiogenia track. With this a fact the race ought to do her a lot of good in making time, and the many miles between Cumberland and Uniontown there is a long, steady ascent of 2,000 feet, which takes something like nineteen minutes to negotiate.

Yesterday was the anniversary of the day and to-day is the anniversary of the date on which Otis of Buffalo met with his serious and in one of his unsuspected fatal accident, and he this morning admitted that while in no ways superstitious he will be glad when the day's run is done. The Premier and Reo confetti cars, which for the way have been doing, are a mirable work, got away earlier than usual, leaving the Chairman Hower. The first was on the road by 4:30, and the latter left at 5:00 later, giving him a good lead than ever over the field.

Perhaps the chairman's experience of a year ago, when he failed to be the first to reach Bedford Springs, had something to do with the matter. The two Stevens cars were the first to get started, then came the Pierce team, followed by the Peerless, Franklin and Studebaker in that order. These five teams are doing the tour indeed thoroughly unselfish birds. They indulge in no racing whatever, but just plug along at a steady, even pace and seems more in its results than does any amount of racing, as shown by the fact that the only team which has thus far engaged in racing has already come to grief by the loss of one of its members.

The Gyroscope, which came in late last evening, as a result of an end of the tour fable, was among the starters for the Hower trophy, despite the fact that she was heavily penalized. There is a strong feeling that the cars that got through the trip with clean scores will stand an excellent chance of finishing the trip with clean scores.

BOER UNHOLZ ARRIVES IN HUB

Rudolph Unholz, the Boer scrapper, is in town for his bout with Tommy Murphy of New York, which takes place July 28 at the Armory A. A. He will train at Mike Devenny's at Highland Lake. Harry Ebbis will work out with him. Unholz says that the battle with Murphy will be at 133, ringside, and that he has conceded all the conditions to the Gothamite.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	44	21	.620
Pittsburg	43	21	.601
New York	45	24	.581
Cincinnati	39	30	.565
Philadelphia	30	30	.455
Boston	33	41	.446
Brooklyn	27	43	.386
St. Louis	22	39	.361

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Cincinnati, 5; Boston, 4.
Pittsburg, 7; New York, 6.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 3, 11 innings.

JUDGES HOOTED AND JEERED AT DOVER RACES

DOVER, N. H., July 11.—Jeers and cries of "rotten" continued for over five minutes, preventing Starter A. H. Merrill from continuing his announcement of the final heat in the 2:24 class trotting at the fair grounds here this afternoon, broke from the assembly at Granite State Park when it was announced that the judges gave the heat and race to Arrow driven by Walter Cox. The three-days' light harness meeting was thus brought to a whirlwind finish. The race was a free-for-all purse of $500 for the 2:24 class.

The first two heats were decidedly interesting. My Star taking the first and the second going to Arrow. Cox came home a winner by a nose, however, the judges between Arrow and Fred D. When the horses passed the judges' stand Arrow was considered by the officials as the winner of the heat and was accordingly proclaimed the winner. To the attending throng, however, it appeared to be a dead heat, and they emphasized their disapproval in plain terms.

Cox won the first race, 2:14 trotting, without any difficulty. He drove The Alcazia to the front in the second and Composer third. The racing was of a snappy and satisfactory order, but for the decision in each heat.

Next week a three days' meeting will be held under the auspices of the Dover Horse Fair Association at Cold Springs Park, Portsmouth. Entries have been made for three races each day. At the close of the racing yesterday a pickpocket, who got off with several pocketbooks, led the police a lively chase around Wallbonds Pond and made a get-away in a dense thicket. The summaries:

2:14 TROTTING—PURSE $300.

The Alcazia, ch. g., by Alix Wilkes (Cox)	1	1	1
Arrow, b. g., by Bonnie Direct (Chadwick)	2	2	2
Composer, b. g., by Clay (Lassell)	3	3	3
Hopeful Wilkes, b. g. (Carpenter)	4	4	4
Bonnie Ray, g. g. (Thompson)	5	5	5
Dorothy Dee, br. m. (Herbert)	6	6	6
Oconto, b. g. (Summerhayes)	7	7	7

Time—2:16, 2:14½, 2:14¾.

FREE-FOR-ALL PACING—PURSE $500.

Arrow, b. g., by Bonnie Direct (Cox)	2	1	1
Major Delmar, b. g., by Silver (Shanderlin)	1	2	2
Sweet Marie, b. m., by Billy M. Thompson (Lassell)	3	3	3
Fred D., g. g. (Downey)	4	4	4
Wilkes Heart, b. g. (Chadwick)	5	5	5

Time—2:07¾, 2:10¾, 2:12¾, 2:13¾, 2:16¾.

COLLINS IN FINE FORM FOR RACE WITH M'LEAN

The classiest race of the season at the Revere Cycle Track comes to-night, when Elmer Collins, the recently returned international champion, meets Hugh MacLean, the American champion, in a twenty-five mile motor-paced race.

It will be the first time MacLean has faced an opponent worthy of beating him in a fair trial of speed and endurance, and experts agree that he can never in such danger of losing his crown, for no bike racer has shown the remarkable progress on the track as Collins, the Lynn boy.

The short distances best rate between the pair on the holiday was not a equal test, as Collins had just stepped off the steamer, yet he showed remarkable speed and gave confidence in his admirer that the next time he met MacLean he would surely clean him up. So to-night the time is at hand for Collins to prove that he is superior to MacLean, who has yet to taste defeat at the hands of any American rider.

Everybody likes to see a race where the champion's opponent has an even chance of winning and that is the card to-night, when the two leading motor chasers get under way for their twenty-five mile struggle.

Collins, like all ambitious athletes, wants to become champion and he has the opportunity presented to him to-night to jump right into the top place by beating out MacLean, but he knows that the Chelsea lad will not surrender without the hardest kind of a struggle.

With the speed they will produce there is likely to be a new record made for the distance, even better than that made when Morris and MacLean rode against each other.

Albert Champion, the daring Frenchman, will pace Collins, and there is no pacer in the business, and he has his own special mount to lead him home.

Another hot race is expected when Tom Cavanagh meets Peter Drury for the amateur motor-paced championship of the section of the country. Each has beaten the other and this is the deciding race, as it will be a race for the whole of the ten miles.

Two amateur races will precede the top flights in which big fields will compete.

HORSEMEN ARE ORGANIZING A LIBERTY ASS'N

NEW YORK, July 11—Personal Rights Protective Association is the official title of the personnel liberty league, incorporation papers of which have been filed at Albany when an application for a charter was also prepared. Soon after the passage of the Agnew-Hart anti-betting bills, which measures have done the running game as well as the thoroughbred breeding industry of the whole country more harm, and has also caused the majority of harness race meetings in the great State of New York to be declared off, the personnel liberty league was launched, and within a very short time more than thirty thousand applications for membership were turned into the office of Attorney A. B. Garside, one of the leaders of the new organization, whose address is No. 1 Post Fulton street, New York city.

The object of the association will be to secure from throughout the State as many members as possible for the purpose of defeating any man for a public office who does not favor the personal liberty of citizens of this "supposed to be" free country.

The central body will be located in New York city, but it is proposed to have branches formed and established in every town in the State and to have the fight in working order before the Fall campaign opens.

Then the organization will have very close to 100,000 members enlisted by the time another Governor is nominated in a conservative estimate, and the members will not only be men interested in every branch of the horse business, but men prominent in other great industries who also seldom attend the races, but have shown their approval of the movement.

CINCINNATI BUYS O'TOOLE

BROCKTON, Mass., July 11—Martin O'Toole, Brockton's best pitcher this season, has been sold to the Cincinnati team of the National League. He will join that team at the close of the New England League season.

N. E. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Worcester	37	21	.638
Lowell	36	23	.584
Brockton	33	25	.569
Haverhill	32	25	.561
Lynn	26	31	.456
Fall River	24	33	.421
New Bedford	24	34	.414

GAMES TO-DAY.

Brockton at Lawrence.
Lowell at Worcester.
Haverhill at Fall River.
Lynn at New Bedford.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Lowell, 1; Worcester, 0—First game.
Worcester, 3; Lowell, 2—Second game.
Haverhill, 6; Fall River, 2.
Lawrence, 5; Brockton, 0.
Lynn, 4; New Bedford, 2.

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Sporting News Briefly Told

MANTELL BEAT DONOVAN.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Willie Lewis failed to appear at the Roman Athletic Club and Harry Mantell of England was substituted, meeting Jack Donovan of Boston. The Englishman proved his worth by flooring the Rochester fighter several times during the contest.

BOSTON Y. C. CRUISE.

To-day the fleet of the Boston Yacht Club will start on its annual cruise to the eastward. The first day's run will be from Hull to Gloucester. Sunday the fleet will race to the Isles of Shoals, with daily runs thereafter along the Maine coast until Friday, when the boats will arrive at Boothbay. After an open race in Boothbay Harbor Saturday the cruise will end.

COACH WRAY GOES ABROAD.

James S. Wray, coach of the victorious Harvard crew, has sailed for England, where he hopes to arrange for a race between Harvard and Cambridge, to be held before the Winter.

PULSIFER TO COACH TUFTS.

"Nate" Pulsifer, the well-known teacher, professional ball player and all-around athlete, has been engaged as athletic coach for Tufts next year.

KELLY TO MEET KETCHEL.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Hugo Kelly and Stanley Ketchel have been matched to-day to fight in this city on July 31 for the middleweight championship of the world.

CONNECTICUT GOLF FINALS.

NEW HAVEN, July 11.—Roger Hovey of Hartford and "Buck" Merriman of Waterbury are to meet to-day in the finals for the Connecticut Golf Tournament.

BARNICLE RELEASED.

WORCESTER, July 11.—Fred Barnicle, the young Dean Academy pitcher, who was signed by Manager Burkett of the Worcester team, has been given his release. A few weeks ago, has been given his release.

RACING AT NASHUA.

NASHUA, N. H., July 11.—Racing is to be resumed at the local half-mile track, a meeting being announced for July 21, 22, 23 and 24. The classes are 2:14, 2:18, 2:21, 2:25, 2:30 and 2:40 trotting, free-for-all, 2:09, 2:13, 2:15, 2:18, 2:21, 2:25 and 2:29 pacing.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

Boston, July 8, 1908.

Registration of voters will be held at the central office of the Board of Election Commissioners, 1 Old Court House, Boston, July 15 to Sept. 5, inclusive, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., excepting Saturdays, when the office will close at 12 M. Sept. 8 to Sept. 15, inclusive, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., and 6 P. M. to 10 P. M., including Saturday. Sept. 16 to Oct. 2, inclusive, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., excepting Saturdays, when the office will close at 12 M. Oct. 3 to Oct. 14, inclusive, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., and 6 P. M. to 10 P. M., excepting Saturdays, when the office will be open from 9 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 6 P. M. to 10 P. M.

Registration on Oct. 14 (last day for registration for State Election), 9 A. M. to 10 P. M. continuously.

Registration for State Primary shall close Sept. 15 at 10 P. M.

After 10 o'clock in the evening of the last day fixed for registration preceding the State and City elections no names shall be added to the registers until after the next election, except the names of voters examined as to their qualifications between the preceding 30th day of April and the close of registration.

JOHN M. MINTON,
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LEGAL AND PUBLIC NOTICES.

PUBLIC MEETINGS will be held in the ward room, Museum, 1908, and on Friday evening, September 4, 1908; Monday evening, October 5, 1908; Friday evening, October 16, 1908, and Friday evening, December 11, 1908, meetings will be called to order at 8 p. m., sharp. Same meetings will be held in accordance with Section 6, Chapter 52, Revised Ordinances of 1898. Per order, JAMES H. CURLEY, Chairman.

FOR SALE—Pool privileges at the Tamassey Grounds, Revere Beach, for the season. Very profitable attendance 8,000; bids received at Pub. Grounds Office, Monday, July 13 at 5 p. m. JAMES M. CURLEY.

WARD EIGHT.

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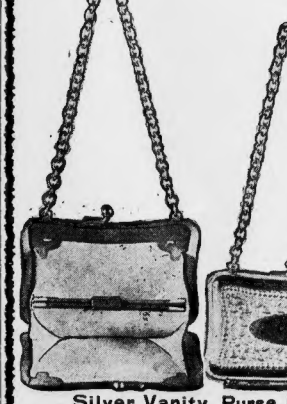

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TWO-FAMILY HOUSE, 11 rooms, 2 bathrooms and toilet, hot water heating, set tubs, lot 5,000 ft., rented for $1,040; price $2,700, $500 cash, balance $20 monthly. H. P. HARRINGTON CO., 209 Washington st., Boston.

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BRIDGEWATER FARM, small cottage house; right in village, 15 minutes to station; poultry house, 2 acres land; price $1,000, terms $100 cash, balance to suit; take Old Colony train to Bridgewater station; $1,000, half cash. PERLEY-WALLACE CO., 1,028 6th South bldg., Boston.

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AND BOARDING HOUSE wanted, only few miles out, in Boston's most beautiful suburb; house with 15 rooms preferred; must be in good condition and business and leases at high prices; in connection with this deal we have a client with $50,000 to buy; regular boarders and large transient trade; the rent must not be over $60 per month; this is a rare opportunity around Boston; price and terms to suit. H. S. MOODY LAND CO., 531 Old South Building, Boston.

$475—CAMP GROCERY, 2 rooms, $25 to $25 weekly trade, pump quick. HAYDEN, 286 Washington st.

$900—GROCERY and provisions, $250 weekly trade; clean stock, 2 floors. HAYDEN, 286 Washington st., Boston.

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$200—Have good opening for an active man in first-class restaurant. COLLINS, 122 Shawmut ave.

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$350 BUYS CX Stanley, good as new, automobile wheels, large tires and gears. FRANKLIN GARAGE, 1,028 6th South bldg., Boston.

STANLEY BARGAINS—Light touring car, 1907 model, 30 h. p., 4-cylinder, 5-passenger, $1,000

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN NOMINATED BY THE DEMOCRATS

Is It a Nomination That Offers Hope and Promise of Relief?

FOR the third time William J. Bryan has been nominated by the Democratic party—or rather by that fragment of former efficiency which is called the Democratic party. We have lost confidence in the Democratic party, as millions of other Democrats have done. We cannot see in this nomination any hope.

We are bound to add, with regret, that we have lost confidence also in William J. Bryan, who by well-manipulated boss-ship has compelled this nomination.

It is a fact that the people of the country have absolutely nothing to say in regard to the nomination or the platform of either of the two leading parties. The platform of the Republican party is a compromise between Roosevelt and the trusts, from which campaign funds must be obtained. The platform adopted by the Democratic party is nothing but a compromise between the absolute will of Bryan and that willingness on Bryan's part to dicker with his own principles recently made known to the public.

No reliance can be placed on the Democratic platform or on Bryan's declarations. The Democratic platform declares for one set of principles at one election and for an entirely different set at the next election, while Bryan is apparently without permanent principle or sincere conviction, or even honest attitude.

A note is a promise to pay. It is valuable according to who makes and indorses it. A platform is a promise to perform, and a platform made by the Democratic party and endorsed by Mr. Bryan is not worth the paper it is written on.

The Democratic party has become a weathercock of what its inferior leaders imagine to be the expression of public opinion.

It reflects supinely the corporation instinct and servility of a Parker, and it is ready at the next moment to reflect the half-baked, ill-matured opinions of some imaginary radical.

The people would accept to-day, as they have accepted in the past, the Republicanism of Lincoln or the Democracy of Jefferson.

But the Republicanism of Taft, with its shifting, its compromises, its opportunism, is not the Republicanism of Lincoln.

And the Democracy of Bryan and Taggart and the others, with its changing principles, its shifting platform, and its chameleon candidates, is not the Democracy of Jefferson, who wrote the Declaration of Independence, who lived by his principles, and stood by them.

The Democracy of Jefferson, the Republicanism of Lincoln, would have represented the needs of the nation to-day, for the Democracy of Jefferson and the Republicanism of Lincoln were identical in that they sought to serve the real interests of the people.

But in this modern Republicanism, so-called, and this modern, decayed Democracy, is neither the spirit of Lincoln nor of Jefferson. In them there is no hope for the people who demand a representative party, breathing the spirit which animated Jefferson's Democracy and Lincoln's Republicanism.

Mellen's Latest Scheme to Dodge the Law

He Has Sold the Boston & Maine Railroad to a Country Coal Dealer

Those ardent friends of law and order who believe that a railroad ought to have anything it wants, whether legally or illegally, will be pleased to observe that the merger of the Boston & Maine Railroad with the New York, New Haven & Hartford has been accomplished.

Mr. Mellen announces that Mr. John L. Billard, a coal dealer of Meriden, Connecticut, has "bought" all of the New Haven's 110,000 shares of Boston & Maine stock, which means, of course, that Mr. Billard is a "dummy" who is holding this stock for the New Haven Road in order to help Mr. Mellen evade the laws of Massachusetts.

If we are to believe what Mr. Mellen says, a Connecticut country merchant owns the enormous Boston & Maine system.

Unfortunately for Mr. Mellen, nobody DOES believe what he says. When the New Haven Road had just bought the Boston & Maine, Mr. Mellen denied the fact. When the Massachusetts Legislature was trying to stop the New Haven Road from purchasing trolley lines illegally, Mr. Mellen promised on behalf of the railroad company not to buy any more trolley lines. He promptly went ahead and bought some more.

Last Fall when the Democratic party was trying to elect as Governor of Massachusetts a man who had helped to bring about the illegal merger of the Boston & Maine and the New Haven Road, Mr. Mellen wrote a letter declaring that the New Haven did not desire to own the Boston & Maine. Nevertheless, Mr. Mellen went ahead and exerted every power at his command to get his Boston & Maine purchase legalized.

The public, having had such experiences as these with Mr. Mellen, knows what to believe when Mr. Mellen announces that the New Haven has sold its Boston & Maine stock to John L. Billard, a country store keeper.

In the recent campaign in the Massachusetts Legislature to legalize Mr. Mellen's unlawful purchase of the Boston & Maine stock, the fact was made obvious that the public was opposed to the consolidation of the only two remaining New England railroads. Nevertheless, the Democratic and Republican representatives of the people in the Legislature did nothing to prevent this consolidation.

The Railroad Trust in New England is now a fact—a sneaking, illegal fact based on a subterfuge and existing by virtue of a "dummy" stockholder, but nevertheless A FACT.

The old parties, continuing as usual their alliance with the Trusts, have permitted the Railroad Trust's defiance of the expressed will of the people.

The only party that has been consistently, continually and unswervingly opposed to the establishment of this railroad monopoly is the Independence League.

Little Editorials from the People

THE BEST MILK FOR BABY

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

I wish every mother could read what was printed about baby's milk in the BOSTON AMERICAN. I speak from experience and say, never, never boil baby's milk. Sterilised milk is far harder to digest, and is much more constipating than raw milk; also its nutritive properties are interfered with. In case of diarrhoeal disease it is better to pasteurise the milk, if one cannot be certain that it is fresh.

For my babies I use top milk, diluted to the proper proportions, and have two perfectly healthy children. I wish every mother could have Dr. L. Emmett Holt's book on "The Care and Feeding of Children." To anyone wishing the proper format and is much more convenient than mine I will gladly give them. Sincerely yours,

MRS. E. B. NEAL
No. 27 Beach street, Quincy.

Be Simply Yourselves

By Winifred Black

THE other day I met a little, brown, slender slip of a girl—she looked like a wood nymph or like some pretty little brown gnome princess. Her dress was a simple little slip of brown Holland, she wore a broad hat of rough brown straw, her brown hair was caught in a rippling bronze knot at the back of her beautiful little head and her feet twinkled in and out under her brown frock, clad in dull tan.

I couldn't keep my eyes from her. Her teeth were so white and her eyes were so brown and she laughed such a rippling girlish laugh that I kept thinking of brown forests and sweet streams of clear and rushing water.

I told all my friends about her. "She's a beauty," I said, "and so simple, and unconscious. I want you all to meet her." Yesterday I went to the park; and there at the head of the table, as guest of honor, sat a little, insignificant, over-dressed, over-ruffled creature.

Her head was as big as a bushel basket. Her hair was crimped and curled and puffed and pompadoured, till she looked like a Fiji Island head hunter; her face was blue with powder, and her thin little arms smeared bony and angular from a mess of meaningless ruffles.

Her little bit of face looked thin and angular and hungry, and out of the mask of powder her lips shone purple.

And yet, this was the same girl I had been praising everywhere as a great beauty.

Isn't it a crime to disfigure a beautiful face like that?

I wish the President would appoint a "Beauty Seer" in every city in this country, someone who knows beauty when he sees it, and can tell each woman what her own particular style is and advise her how to dress up to it.

How to act up to it, too, if necessary. I know a woman—no longer young and not particularly beautiful—who never leaves a room without leaving behind her someone who exclaims, "What a charming woman!" And do you know how she does it? She lives up to her own type. She's slender and soft voiced, and smooth haired, and her brown eyes are like lakes in the quiet forest.

She bears with her an eternal calm that is as soothing as the whisper of the wind in the pines on a lonely hillside.

Now, if that woman tortured her brown hair into a great towering pompadour, wasp waisted and flounced out her frocks, all the ineffable charm of her would be lost.

Think of May Irwin trying to look like Ethel Barrymore. Probably she'd like to look like her if she could, but she knows she can't—so she looks like May Irwin, and everybody loves to see her coming. Be yourselves, girls; be yourselves, no matter what someone else is, and you will be liked and admired and appreciated for what you really are.

QUOTH THE RAVEN: "EVERMORE!"

I DON'T CARE!

By T. E. Powers

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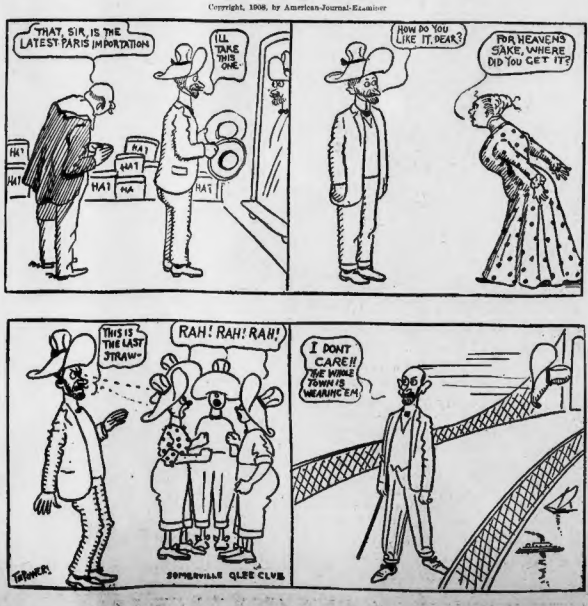
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I'LL TAKE THIS ONE
HOW DO YOU LIKE IT, DEAR?
FOR HEAVENS SAKE, WHERE DID YOU GET IT?
THIS IS THE LAST STRAW!
RAH! RAH! RAH!
I DON'T CARE! THE WHOLE TOWN IS WEARING 'EM!
SOMERVILLE CLUB CLUB

Pegasus On Call

By MORTON BIRGE

SURPRISING steed is Pegasus
These modern days. He trots for us
A varied pace to varied theme
On any subject that may seem
Of interest. They call for rhyme
To suit most any place or time
Or subject that may chance to break,
From making love to making cake,
A railroad wreck, a drop in wheat,
Ascensions of balloons or meat,
A revolution in Brazil,
A princess born, a statesman ill—
Such topics, yes, and even worse,
Are thought to need "a bit of verse."
Is there a diplomatic muss?—
The editor calls, "Pegasus,
Get busy on this right away."
And Pegsy can't say nay or neigh.
Let battleships go on a cruise,
Let Boston win or Harvard lose,
Pour babies smothered in a flat,
The awful Merry Widow hat,
A suicide, a frightful gale,
And advertiser's bargain sale,
Elopements, murders, auto smash,
Absconding clerk and missing cash,
The women's clubs, the Demon Rum,
A Vanderbilt has cut his thumb,
The price of prunes, the payroll graft,
And any old despatch on Taft
"Are women mad?" "Will Bryan win?"
"How old is Ann?" "How bad is Sin?"
The way to start a train or boom,
The Cracker Trust or Crack of Doom,
Or aught beside that comes to us
Is slipped along to Pegasus.

The Wandering X

By Wex Jones

SCENE VI.—On the Range.

The bunch was stampeded.

Vainly the boys tried to head off the maddened steers.

The whole herd was headed straight for the edge of the Tres Doughnuts precipice.

Just as the foremost steer reached the edge a figure in cowboy costume rose from the ground and pushed the animals back into safety.

"Who are you?" panted the astonished cowboys.

"I"—replied the stranger—"I am Theodore Roosevelt, ex-President of the United States."